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## GREECE ASKS FORMER KING TO ABDICATE

Government Sends Note to Constantine Asking Him to Withdraw in Favor of Crown Prince  
FINANCIAL PRESSURE BY ALLIES BRINGS RESULTS  
May Leave Decision as to Former Monarch's Return up to Constantine

LUCERNE, Switzerland.—By The Associated Press.—Ex-King Constantine will not relinquish his claim to the Greek throne in favor of his son George, it was declared Wednesday by Professor Georgios Streit, close adviser of Constantine here.

"The Greek people want Constantine so badly that his abdication probably would cause a revolution in Greece," Professor Streit added.

PARIS.—The Greek government has addressed a note to former King Constantine asking that he abdicate immediately in favor of the crown prince, says a dispatch from Athens Wednesday.

Pressure Bears Fruit  
ATHENS.—By The Associated Press.—The plans to have ex-King Constantine return to Greece this week apparently have been abandoned. The decision of the government apparently was to continue to wait and see whether, with the tendency to leave the decision as to Constantine's return to the throne with the ex-King himself.

The financial pressure of the British government, which has been exerted against the plan to restore Constantine, appears to have become stronger.

Former Premier Constantine, leader in the movement which led to the downfall of Venizelos, has appeared to Venizelos army officers to keep their faith.

King Hears from Rhaia  
LUCERNE, Switzerland.—By The Associated Press.—Former King Constantine received Wednesday his first communication from Premier Rhaia of Greece with regard to last Sunday's plebiscite, favoring Constantine's return to the throne. The plebiscite, Constantine's return to Greece on Constantine's return to Greece, Constantine's return to Greece, Constantine's return to Greece.

The message gave incomplete results of the plebiscite, indicating a unanimous vote for Constantine, but it added no plans for his return. The plebiscite, Constantine's return to Greece, Constantine's return to Greece, Constantine's return to Greece.

Plan Triumphant Entry  
BRINDISI, Italy.—Several members of the Greek chamber of deputies, officers and other prominent persons have arrived here from Greece to greet Constantine on his return to Greece. They say Constantine's entry will be the most triumphant since the days of ancient Greece.

**THE WEATHER RECORD**

For La Crosse and vicinity.—Unsettled tonight and Thursday with probably light rain or snow. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin.—Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday with light rain or snow. Somewhat warmer in La Crosse.

For the Northwest.—Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday. Somewhat warmer in the south and extreme east portion tonight.

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## WAR WITH GERMANY COST UNCLE SAM 24 BILLIONS REPORTS U. S. TREASURY

WASHINGTON.—The net cost of the war to the American government was fixed by Secretary Houston Wednesday at \$24,010,000,000. This, he said, represented the "adjustment" expenditure of the treasury, excluding all other outlay which had no relation to the actual prosecution of war during the period from April 6, 1917, to June 30, last, which he said covered the extremes of the government's wartime fiscal operations.

Total expenditures by the government during the period covered, excepting only postal disbursements from postal revenues, were \$35,830,812,895, treasury figures showed. Of this amount \$16,075,844,097 was obtained in taxes and revenue from sources other than borrowed money.

Mr. Houston said a deduction of \$9,523,000,000, the amount loaned to foreign governments, should be made from the grand total since these loans will be repaid and consequently cannot be charged as an actual expenditure. The secretary made other deductions aggregating approximately \$4,500,000,000 which, he said, represented the excess cost of actual governmental operations for the three years and three months over what they would have been in normal times.

## BRITAIN MAY ASK U. S. TO TAKE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF ACTIVITIES OF DE VALERA

WASHINGTON.—The British embassy Wednesday refused to vouch for the passport of the members of the special committee selected by the committee of inquiry on conditions in Ireland now in session here to visit Ireland to study conditions there at first hand. This means that the members of the committee will not be permitted to visit Great Britain.

WASHINGTON.—The British government is considering whether it will request the United States government, in the interests of Anglo-American friendship, to take official notice of the anti-British activities in America of Professor Eamon de Valera, "president of the Irish republic," according to a statement made Wednesday by Andrew Bonar Law in the house of commons in response to questions.

Horatio Bottomley, liberal, later asked whether the time had not arrived when Great Britain should make serious representations to the American government that any further toleration of de Valera and the conferring on him of municipal honors was an unfriendly act. This was greeted by cries of "No."

Question of Expediency  
Mr. Bonar Law answered: "I think there is no doubt that we would, from the diplomatic point of view, have the right to take the course suggested, but it is not a question of right, but what is expedient."

Responding to another query, Mr. Bonar Law said: "Undoubtedly a very severe campaign is being conducted in America against this country, but so far we have found the Americans can be trusted to look at the matter from a reasonable point of view."

Mary MacSwiney Testifies  
WASHINGTON.—Miss Mary MacSwiney, sister of the late lord mayor of Cork, testifying Wednesday before the commission on the Committee of One Hundred investigating the Irish question, declared that America "has not made the world safe for democracy," but had "made it safe only for a short time and especially for the British empire."

"You sheathed the sword when England got what she wanted," Miss MacSwiney declared. "The world has been made safe for a little while, but when England gets control of all oil, all coal, and all else that she wants there will be other troubles."

Miss MacSwiney was the first witness called when the commission resumed its hearings. It had been planned first to examine Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the lord mayor, but this was changed. Mrs. MacSwiney, who arrived here Tuesday night with her sister-in-law, will be heard later in the day.

Miss MacSwiney told the commission she had come to America to aid "our friends in obtaining the facts" about conditions in Ireland. She felt, she said, that most Americans were uninformed as to real conditions.

Outs de Ireland, Miss MacSwiney said, an impression prevails that the cause for Irish independence is fostered by the Catholics. This she declared, asserting Protestants and Catholics were equally misrepresented in the movement.

The system of education established in Ireland by the British was criticized by Miss MacSwiney, who declared "most of the people of Ireland do not know how to express themselves."

"These conditions with respect to education," she continued, "have made it possible for anti-Irish groups in England to say that the Irish citizens do not want independence. The difficulty is that long years of British domination have not permitted the Irish as a people to develop mentally."

## SPECIAL MESSAGE SENT TO SENATE BY THE PRESIDENT

Wilson Reports on Expenses of American Delegation to Peace Conference  
CONGRESS HITS ITS STRIDE WITH PRELIMINARIES OVER

Regulation of Packing Industry Discussed in Senate  
WASHINGTON.—A special message giving the complete expenses of the American peace commission during its work abroad was transmitted to the senate Wednesday by President Wilson.

Total expenditures amounted to \$1,651,101.09 from December 1, 1918, to December 4, 1920. The amount actually paid out was \$1,703,712.06, but repayments and gains in exchange reduced this by \$52,610.97.

Some of the largest items were: Travel and subsistence, \$28,442; subsistence, \$193,620; salaries, \$200,871; wages and employees at Hotel Crillon, \$181,507; rent, \$176,853; food, hotel and kitchen, supplies, \$282,560; hire and laundering of linen at hotel, \$64,969; damage and loss of property at hotel, \$125,870.

Various missions to Russia, Germany, Poland, Turkey, Holland, and Armenia cost \$239,726. Purchase of automobiles amounted to \$14,602 and confidential expenses of presidential party, \$17,534.

Colonel E. M. House and Henry White, the statement showed, received monthly salaries of \$1,000 as commissioners, while Robert Lansing, former secretary of state, and General Tasker H. Bliss, other commissioners, had their actual expenses paid.

With preliminaries over and the president's annual message out of the way, congress got into its regular business stride.

In the senate, actual debate was expected to begin with the taking up of the measure designed to regulate the meat packing industry. There also was a likelihood the proposed farmer relief legislation, temporarily blocked Tuesday, would be called up for action.

In the house the day's proceedings promised to be confined chiefly to committee activities. Majority members of the ways and means committee were expected to discuss a legislative program with respect to commerce and industry.

Introduce Farm Loan Bill  
Senator Mitchell of Nebraska introduced his bill proposing that the earnings of the federal reserve banks this year, totalling about \$70,000,000 be made available for loans to farmers to ease the present situation resulting from falling prices.

Chairman Gronz of the agriculture committee, announced efforts to bring up the resolution proposing the revival of the war finance corporation, would not be made until Friday so that senators would have time to study the testimony taken by his committee.

RAIL COMMISSION  
RE-OPENS LOCAL  
GAS RATE RAISE  
Company Appears to Explain Difference in Price of Coal from Early Testimony

MADISON, Wis.—(Special.)—The question of gas rates in La Crosse was re-opened here today on motion of the railroad commission. The commission conducted a hearing to determine whether there was error in the ruling by which a higher rate was authorized last September.

The question involves the price paid for gas coal by the company, the commission having ordered the company to explain a difference of more than \$2 a ton in the price actually paid for its coal and the price which it informed the commission at the first hearing that its coal would cost.

The order calling Wednesday's hearing requires the company to show cause why the rate should not be reduced.

Appearing for the city was Oscar Swensen, city attorney, and Byron Gifford, consulting expert, and for the gas company G. A. Harrington of Grand Rapids, Mich.

The commission's decision as the result of the testimony is expected within a few weeks.

MAY NAME WILLIS TO FINISH HARDING TERM  
COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Governor Cox Wednesday wired President-elect Harding, offering his co-operation in appointing Senator-elect Frank L. Willis, republican, to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Harding in the senate.

PLAN ELECTION IN FIUME  
ROME.—As soon as a definite agreement relative to Fiume is reached by the Italian government and Captain Gabriele D'Annunzio, a general election will be held in Fiume for the formation of a civil government, it is said. This regime would replace the existing military administration.

## Captain In U. S. Army Admits He Is German Spy

NEW YORK.—Hans Willert, alias, Captain John A. Williams, commander of Company I, Forty-eighth United States Infantry during the war, is held in Castle William, Governor's Island, awaiting action by army officials on a confession he is alleged to have made to police Tuesday that he was a German spy.

Although he had been sought as a deserter, alleged to have absconded after the armistice with \$6,000 in company funds, his confession of espionage came as a complete surprise.

Hugh J. Hannigan, a former lieutenant under his command, on whose identification Willert was arrested, said not a man in the captain's command had ever suspected he was a German sympathizer.

Willert said, according to police detectives, that he was one of 300 cadets who had trained in Germany and were sent to this country to enlist in the United States army. The scheme, he is alleged to have said, was for the cadets to lead units of soldiers to France and expose them in dangerous positions for slaughter.

## ALLIES UNDECIDED AS TO DISPOSITION OF GERMAN CABLES

Recommendations of Big Five Conference Leave Problem Still Unsolved  
WASHINGTON.—Technical recommendations of delegates of the five allied and associated powers at the preliminary international communications conference to be submitted to the general conference of all nations for approval, as made public today through the state department, show that disposition of the former German cables seized by France, Great Britain and Japan in 1914, still remains unsolved.

Desirability of more cables between North America and the Orient and between America and Austria, and a cable connecting North America and Italy and a proposal for amalgamation of telegraph and radio conventions formerly governing international communications were among important recommendations made by the conference. It also was proposed that a universal electrical communications union be established, for the international reciprocal exchange of telegraphic and telephonic communications as well as improvement of such means of communication. It was proposed that an electrical communications council should be established, consisting of representatives of Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and the United States, and four representatives selected by other powers who will compose the personnel of the general communications conference to be held after adjournment of the present preliminary conference.

It was decided to propose an agreement among the powers not to grant hereafter exclusive cable landing or radio rights serving to check the development of communication facilities. Formulation of an international code determining the status of submarine cables in war time was proposed.

FIGHT LOOMS OVER  
USE OF POWER IN  
NATIONAL PARKS  
WASHINGTON.—An intimation of a controversy to come in congress over utilizing power within the national parks was given Tuesday when Senator Walsh, democratic, Montana, introduced a bill permitting Montana to dam the level of the Yellowstone river and raise the level of the Yellowstone lake waters within the Yellowstone National park for power purposes.

Senator Jones introduced a measure forbidding water power or irrigation projects in national parks or monuments and Representative Esch, republican of Wisconsin, offered a similar measure in the house. Both bills are designed as amendments to the water-power act and are understood to have the approval of the interior department.

A MILE OF SMILES  
Every step of the way—dancing, singing and laughing. That's what the Mardi Gras night of the Winter Sports Carnival is going to be in La Crosse next January. Everywhere these winter gayeties have been held it has brought people closer together and made the boy and girl spirit a living thing again. The parade will be for years and bring into being new ones which will last as long as the Mississippi flows southward. Are you boosting for the carnival?

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1921  
STATE CORN & GRASS SHOW

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## NORTH SIDE UNION STATION TALK "SMOKE SCREEN"—M'CONNELL

Explains to Kiwanis Club Why Milwaukee Road Suggestion is Obvious Bluff  
RIDICULES "VILLAGE IDEA" OF LOCATION

Says City Can Show Railroad Estimates "Outrageously High"

"SMOKE screen" was the descriptive applied to the Milwaukee road's claim that the north side is the place for a union depot by John E. McConnell, counsel for the joint union station committee of civic bodies, in an address Tuesday noon at the Kiwanis club luncheon in which he reviewed the progress of the city's case before the railroad commission.

"It seemed to me I could detect a wink in the railroad men's eyes every time they referred to that north side proposition at the hearing," Mr. McConnell said. "They made the suggestion only semi-seriously. And even if it were serious, I feel certain that there is no danger of the commission's permitting it even if it were not quite impossible from a practical standpoint. It seems somewhat strange the suggestion should have made such a powerful impression on the city council."

Would Close Three Streets  
"If the station were to be established on the north side it would have to be east of the Rose street viaduct, for one thing, because it requires a distance of 1,200 feet on a straight track. To place a station on the Milwaukee right of way on the north side would require the closing of three streets, or the erection of three viaducts like the Rose street viaduct, in addition to the expense of the union station. Even if the railroads were willing to leave the south side where most of the business originates, they would hardly want to undertake this enormous expense."

Mr. McConnell said that the chief argument of the railroads against the north station is the matter of expense, which he said was unusually high now at the peak of prices. But, he pointed out, there is no insistence on the part of the city that all of the work be done at once, but merely that the matter be settled right so that future development could take place along lines according to the city's interests.

"The Village Idea"  
"The village idea that you can't get business unless you are next to the railroad station or the postoffice," was ridiculed by Mr. McConnell. He said that the union station committee expected to show at the next hearing that the figures of the railroads as to the cost of the union station project were "outrageously high."

Mr. McConnell pointed out that Wisconsin laws command union stations to be erected by the railroads wherever such a station is practical and convenient in the judgment of the railroad commission. He said that the railroads in their recent hearing here had admitted that the union station would be much more convenient for the traveling public and that there were no engineering difficulties to be overcome.

"They contended that their stations here were in the shape and entirely adequate for the purpose," he said, "at which a titter went round the tables—especially emphatic was the Northwestern railroad's representative, but he admitted after a bit that he had never been in La Crosse before the day of the hearing, and that he had spent a total of an hour and a half in the city at that time."

"The railroads' only real objection is not the matter of expense," said Mr. O'Connell, "but their unwillingness to co-operate. Each is afraid the other is going to get some business out of a union station which it might not get otherwise. They admit its convenience."

CROPS ON RECLAIMED  
LANDS WORTH MORE  
THAN PROJECTS COST  
WASHINGTON.—The value of crops grown on lands within government reclamation projects for 1919 was \$25,000,000 greater than the total of \$125,000,000 expended on all projects constructed up to the close of the last fiscal year, according to the annual report of the reclamation service. The value of crops produced on reclamation lands, the report said, was "just about twice as large" per acre as the average yield of unirrigated lands in the humid regions.

A total of 2,648,000 acres is being irrigated by water from government projects, the report showed.

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## DELEGATE FROM CANADA SCORES LEAGUE PLANS

Proposed Methods of Forming Technical Boards Will Give Europe Control He Tells the Assembly  
CANADIAN SUPPORTED BY AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATIVE

Debate on Question is Postponed Until Thursday  
WASHINGTON.—President Wilson has completed his recommendations with regard to the boundaries of Armenia and has forwarded them to the league of nations in session at Geneva, it was said Wednesday at the state department.

The recommendations were not made public. They were formulated at the request of the principal allied powers and it was explained that they had no direct bearing upon the prospective efforts of the president at mediation in Armenia.

WASHINGTON.—President Wilson's reply to the invitation of the council of the league of nations to name a representative to sit in a consultative capacity on a commission to study disarmament was prepared and forwarded Wednesday, the state department announced. Officials would not say whether the president had accepted the invitation.

GENEVA.—By The Associated Press.—Plans proposed for the formation of the technical organizations of the league of nations, dealing with finance, health and transportation, were attacked at Wednesday's session of the leagues assembly by Newton Wesley Rowell, former president of the Canadian privy council.

These plans, the Canadian ex-minister declared, tended to take such organizations out of the hands of the assembly, which should control them, and throw them under the influence of the non-European nations sending their best men to three or four conferences annually.

Fifty thousand Canadian soldiers under the sod in Europe is the price Canada has paid for the European statesmanship which drenched the continent in blood," Mr. Rowell exclaimed.

The Canadian ex-minister's energetic intervention in debate took the assembly by surprise.

Most of the European delegates gave no signs of recovery from their astonishment as the Canadian delegate concluded, but he was warmly applauded from all the other benches.

Debate had been opened by Dr. Fridtjof Nansen of Norway. It was based on the report of the committee on technical organizations, Dr. Nansen insisted upon the necessity of co-operation in these organizations by countries not members of the league. He called attention to the participation of non-members in previous financial conferences and other consultations, and pointed to the substantial aid they had given in the work of repatriating prisoners of war.

After Mr. Rowell had voiced his views Gabriel Hanotaux of France took the floor and replied to the Canadian delegate's criticisms. These, the French representative argued, should have been made in committee.

Supported by Australian  
Delegated Miller of Australia supported Mr. Rowell. He warned the assembly that it could not oblige governments to take part in the working of these organizations and that it had no means under the covenant to meet the expense of them.

Gustave Ador of Switzerland explained that it was proposed to set up these organizations with consultative powers only, the assembly losing none of its powers in so doing.

Lord Robert Cecil said he thought Mr. Rowell was mistaken in thinking the organizations would fall under the control of Europe. All the world must co-operate in all the league's work he declared.

REPUBLICANS PLAN  
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# GLAD HAND GREETS U. S. CITIZENS WHO VISIT MONTENEGRO

Welcome Accorded Americans in Contrast to Distrust Awakened by Other Foreigners

PODGORITZA, Montenegro.—No people are received in Montenegro with such general confidence and such frank welcome as Americans. A United States passport furnishes an all-sufficient entry to any part of the country. The people have a touching belief in the disinterestedness of Americans, in striking contrast to the aloofness and suspicion with which they greet other foreigners. This is due largely to the generous attitude of the United States toward Montenegro during the war and to the widespread relief work done by Americans.

The Montenegrins, who are almost exclusively of the Greek Orthodox Church, are Serbian fugitives from the Turks. They speak the Serbian tongue, but instead of denouncing themselves on a par with other Serbians, they believe they are a sort of Serbian aristocracy.

The Montenegrins as a rule are extremely poor and live in thatched huts. The men generally carry quips, an arsenal of weapons in their girdles, which they regard as their most precious possession. Even the priests carry rifles. The women, though, perform most of the manual tasks, and soon lose their good looks. Large families are the rule.

The people are melancholy and fatalistic and believe in vampires, fairies, witches and ghosts. They believe that disease is brought by evil spirits. They keep out these spirits or "jinnis," they always close their windows tightly at night.

With the exception of a few fertile valleys, Montenegro is a mass of jagged, gray rocks, with little patches of earth that have been patiently gathered by the peasants from the roadways and valleys and carried to sheltered nooks. These little plots are jealously guarded and carefully cultivated. They produce only a few handfuls of grain, yet entire families depend upon them for sustenance.

The men are brave, proud, courteous and honest. Patriotism is a passion with them. They regard personal valor as the highest virtue. They show their solidarity with the new Kingdom of Croats, Slovenes and Serbs by the mourning which they still wear in commemoration of Kossovo, the fatal battle in which Serbian independence was stamped out by the Turks for five centuries.

Both men and women wear a crimson cap with a broad border of black silk, as a token of mourning for their defeat.

**The Elite**  
Dr. Pitters seems to be a fashionable physician. "I should say so! He has patients at some of the most expensive health resorts in America and a waiting list of people whose health will give way as soon as they get money enough to consult him." — Birmingham Age-Herald.

France still has five grades of nobility.

# NATION WARS AGAINST DISEASE MENACE AT ATLANTIC PORTS

Swarming Hosts from Plague Spots of Europe Threaten American Life and Health

BY H. S. CUMMING  
(Surgeon General, U. S. Public Health Service.)

Sixty-nine thousand five hundred and nine fresh reasons for strengthening the defense of the United States Public Health Service against the entry of diseases now epidemic in Europe developed in October, nearly as many had developed in September, and many more developed in November. Sixty-nine thousand five hundred and nine is the estimated number of alien immigrants who entered the United States through the port of New York in October, practically all of them coming from Europe and half of them from Italy and east Mediterranean ports and from Poland and northeast European ports.

Unofficial but reliable advice says that literally millions from the same areas are desperately seeking to come to this country, and that the numbers that actually will come are limited only by the shipping facilities. The flood is held slightly in check at present by the fact that we are still at war with Germany; that Poland and contiguous countries are trying to hold their men for military reasons; and that Russia is still "off the map."

A very large part of these immigrants, actual and would-be, are of very low grade, stunted by years of poverty and by war and famine, and come from sections where bubonic plague, typhus, smallpox or cholera are more or less epidemic.

The United States Public Health Service holds two lines against the importation of disease by these im-

migrants. The first is at the port of embarkation in Europe and the second at the port of debarkation in the United States. Both lines are held by thoroughly efficient surgeons and other experts, and are entirely adequate to withstand any ordinary attack.

The thing is, then, to keep the disease germs out of the country. To do this the United States Public Health Service officers at foreign ports quarantine, detain, vaccinate, and otherwise deal with the would-be immigrants; at domestic ports other service officers meet the ships at quarantine and sift out and hold for observation immigrants who show any sign of disease; later, all immigrants are inspected and any that seem likely to become public charges or that are excluded by provisions of the immigration law are deported and immediately deported.

A test made by the immigration bureau some time ago showed that adequate inspection would exclude about 9 per cent, as against less than the 1 per cent that were deported in October.

Never before, not even in the worst immigration year of 1907, did the flood of immigration equal that which is now gathering; and never before did it come from such great and widespread centers of deadly infection. Even an enlarged personnel, both at home and abroad, would have to be continually on its toes to keep out the plague and to adequately inspect immigrants who, though not visibly infected, are yet in such condition as to seriously lower the physical tone of the country.

**Moving the "Movies"**  
It is a curious picture men may give shows anywhere without regard to the absence of the electric current. The necessary light is secured from a generator mounted on the hood of the automobile which carries the party and apparatus about the country.



DR. CUMMING

# ILLINOIS RESTORES THE VILLAGE WHERE ABE LINCOLN LIVED

Town is Rebuilt and Will be Opened Next Spring at Salem State Park

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Restoration of the village of New Salem where Abraham Lincoln worked as grocery clerk, fell in love with Ann Rutledge, carried the postoffice in his hat and whipped the champion of the "Clary's Grove Boys," will be completed by next spring and with the addition of the Old Salem museum, will be shown open as the Old Salem State Park, according to announcement of State Architect Edgar Marlin.

Log huts as they were in Lincoln's day have been rebuilt. Their location and arrangement is exact. Foundations were found undisturbed except by the wear of time, and the houses reconstructed over them. Atmosphere of 1831 to 1837 is so far as possible is re-embodied. The store where Lincoln was clerk, the mill on Sangamon river and all other structures of "New Salem" so rich in memories of the great American have been completely restored and lack only the finishing touches.

Besides, reproducing the actual village, the state has added a large frame house of the better class in Lincoln's day, which will serve as a State museum to house Lincoln relics. The house is modeled after a fine old residence in St. Genevieve, Mo., which

village Mr. Martin said is as a town lifted bodily out of the last century. The architecture is of the best of Lincoln's day.

Contracts for the wiring, heating and plumbing of the museum have just been let.

In restoring New Salem the department was forced to follow the same tactics used in restoration of more ancient cities. New Salem dwindled rapidly after Lincoln moved away, and shortly after 1837 was entirely deserted. When the last general assembly authorized the creation of the Old Salem State Park only the weather beaten foundations could be found. The 62 acres of the restored village and state park are 23 miles northwest of Springfield, in Menard county.

## He Knew

We were motoring with my father, a new driver.

The car jumped the road, just missed a yelping dog, hit a telephone post, and stopped with a jerk.

Mother called out in a weak voice: "Where were you when you were a boy?"

"To Kingdom Come by Auto," says the trembling answer.—Exchange.

**Flies to Save the Sugar Crop**  
Flies from Cuba have been introduced into the sugar fields of Texas and Louisiana for the purpose of keeping down certain insects which destroy the crops.

## The Popular Telephone

America has only one-sixteenth of the world's population, but nearly two-thirds of the world's telephoning is over the 24,000,000 miles of wire in the Bell system.

**A Good Hair Grower**  
A German experimenter has been working on a hair food and says that the wool product of the sheep was increased 1.74 times by its use, and he had to stop using it on himself because it was necessary to shave twice a day. He has put on the market two kinds, one for man and the other for sheep. It is hydrolized keratin.

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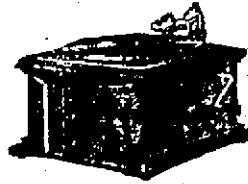
# Which of these Victrolas will you choose for Christmas?

Select whichever style is best suited to your needs and you can be sure it will give the utmost satisfaction. They are all Victrolas, made complete in the Victor factories—the largest plant in the world devoted to the manufacture of a musical instrument.

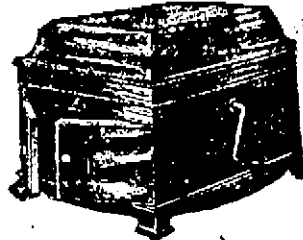
Victrolas differ essentially from all other sound-reproducing instruments. They are built for the express purpose of playing the world's best music exactly as interpreted by the greatest artists who have naturally chosen the Victor as the medium to record and reproduce their art. The Victor changeable stylus and the modifying doors enable you to adapt the volume of tone to the acoustic requirements of any room, but no compromise is permitted, and on the Victrola no distortion is possible.

These are only two of the many Victor patented features in every Victrola, and the more than twenty years research and experience in the art of sound reproduction are your guarantee of absolute satisfaction.

To be sure you get Victor products, look for our famous trademark "His Master's Voice"—under the lid of all instruments, on the labels of all records.



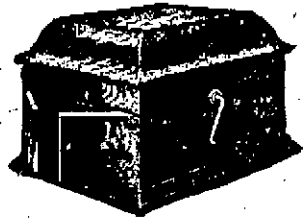
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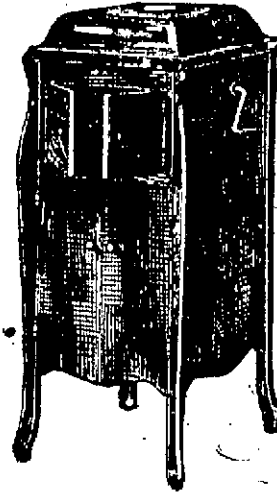
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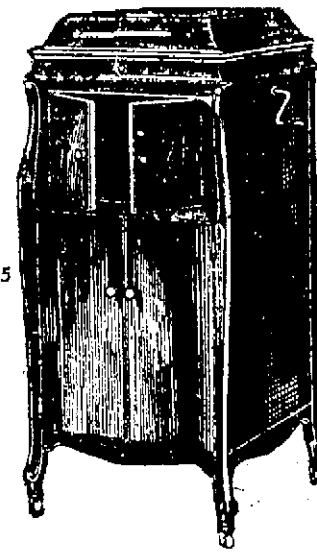
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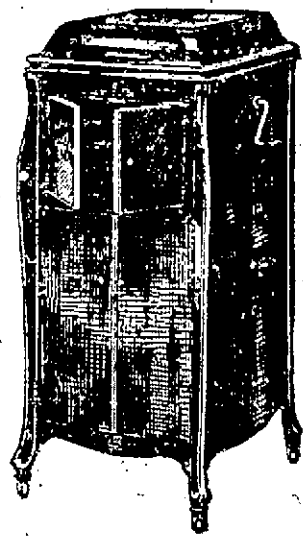
Victrola VIII, \$50



Victrola X, \$125



Victrola XIV, \$225



Victrola XI, \$150



Victrola XVI, \$275  
Victrola XVII, electric, \$337.50



Victrola XVII, \$350  
Victrola XVII, electric, \$415



**"HIS MASTER'S VOICE"**  
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.  
This trademark and the trademarked word "Victrola" identify all our products. Look under the lid! Look on the label!  
VICTOR TALKING MACHINE CO.  
Camden, N. J.

# BUNTE COUGH DROPS

ESTABLISHED CHICAGO 1876

*'Every time you cough*

remember Bunte Cough Drops—and forget the cough! Pure cane sugar, menthol and horehound. The last thing at night —makes your throat feel comfortable.

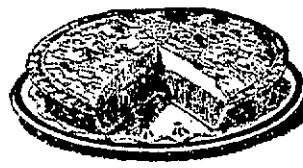
LOOK FOR THE FUNNY FAT MAN ON THE RED BOX.

BUNTE BROTHERS, CHICAGO (Established 1876)

**We will buy**

you two packages, one of Jiffy-Jell, one of Jiffy-Pie. See offer below. We pay the 30 cents.

## Jiffy-Pie

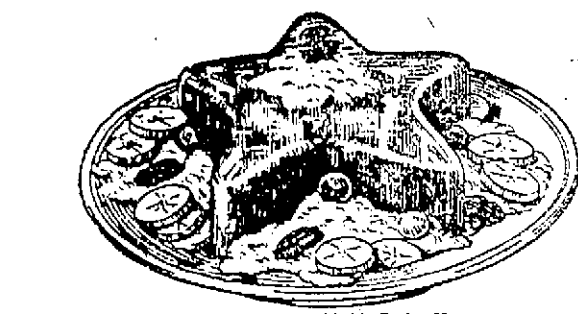


## Real Lemon Pie

Jiffy-Pie comes in similar packages. It contains everything necessary—sugar, egg yolk, powdered milk, corn starch and tapioca.

The lemon essence—derived from lemon peel—comes in liquid form in a bottle. Simply add water, as directed on package, cook the mixture a little and fill your pie. In this quick, easy way you get the most delicious lemon pie.

Also Chocolate Pie complete, with real vanilla flavor in a bottle. Use also for cake filling and for puddings.



Fruit Dessert Mold—Style-H

# Fruit in Vials in each Jiffy-Jell Dessert

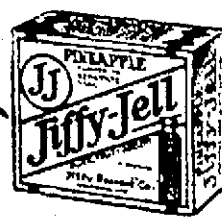
Note that Jiffy-Jell is vastly different from the jelly desserts of old. It has real fruit flavors, rich in fruit. And they come to you in bottles.

We crush the fruit, condense the juice and seal it in a vial. So you get the real fruit, and in plenty—not a mere fruit taste. Each bottle contains the essence from a great deal of ripe fruit.

Jiffy-Jell comes ready-sweetened. It comes acidulated with real fruit acid. You simply add boiling water, as directed on package, then the flavor from the vial, and let cool.

A package serves six in mold form, or 12 if you whip the jell. All for 15 cents—often less than the fruit alone would cost.

Jiffy-Jell comes in ten flavors, including lime-fruit for tart salad jell and mint for mint jell. It will add delights to a thousand meals when you find it out. Compare it with the old-time quick desserts.



**10 Flavors in Glass Vials**  
Mint Lime Cherry Raspberry  
Loganberry Strawberry Pineapple  
Orange Lemon Coffee

A bottle in each package

# Two Desserts Free

Jiffy Desserts best tell their own story. So we offer to buy you a package of each—Jiffy-Jell and Jiffy-Pie. They will cost you 30 cents, but we will pay your grocer just to let you know these dainties. Mail us the coupon and we will send you an order good at any store. But we only send one order to a family, of course. Accept this offer now.

Jiffy Dessert Co., Waukegan, Wis. MAIL THIS

Mail me an order, good on any grocer, for one package each Jiffy-Jell and Jiffy-Pie.

**Victor Talking Machine Company**  
Camden, New Jersey





# BIG PRIZES TAKEN BY LA CROSSE MEN IN NATIONAL SHOW

This County Makes Wonderful  
Showing in International  
Grain Exposition

The following men have enlisted  
in the Regular Army at the local re-  
cruiting station and have been for-  
warded to their regiments:

Martin Martenson, 29th Infantry,  
Camp Benning, Ga.; Deau K. Lave,  
29th Infantry, Camp Benning, Ga.;  
Edward Peterson, 47th Infantry,  
Camp Lewis, Wash.; Ole Olson, 17th  
Field Artillery, Camp Travis, Texas;  
Frank Richards, 17th Field Artillery,  
Camp Travis, Texas; John Kerlovie,  
29th Infantry, Camp Benning, Ga.;  
Ray Morber, 17th Field Artillery,  
Camp Travis, Texas; Horace Knight,  
50th Infantry, Camp Lewis, Wash.;  
Harold Silberness, 50th Infantry,  
Camp Lewis, Wash.; Bernard Duffey,  
20th Infantry, Camp Travis, Texas;  
Raymond St. Mary, 20th Infantry,  
Camp Travis, Texas; Mariou Dri-  
coll, 4th Engineers, Camp Lewis,  
Wash.; Marion Johnson, 4th Engin-  
eers, Camp Lewis, Wash.; Edward  
Robinson, 4th Engineers, Camp Lewis,  
Wash.; Matt Perikoid, 50th Infantry,  
Camp Lewis, Wash.; Edwin Ames,  
50th Infantry, Camp Lewis, Wash.;  
Fred Smith, 15th Field Artillery, Ha-  
wail; Thap Hood, 15th Field Arti-  
llery, Hawaii; Clair McPeak, 50th  
Infantry, Camp Lewis, Wash.; Theo.  
H. Soldowski, 50th Infantry, Camp  
Lewis, Wash.; Glenn Barrows, 50th  
Infantry, Camp Lewis, Wash.; Roy-  
nold Lukko, 50th Infantry, Camp  
Lewis, Wash.; Elmer N. Houge, 50th

## BRINGING UP FATHER



ANYTHING  
NEW TODAY?

NO-YOUR BROTHER WUZ  
ARRESTED AGAIN TODAY.  
I HAD TO GO  
HIS-BAIL!



OH! MY POOR  
BOY-HE NEVER  
HAD A CHANCE

IF HE HAD-HE  
WOULD HAVE  
GOTTEN AWAY  
WITH A BANK!



HE HAD STRUGGLED AGAINST  
TEMPTATION SO HARD-BUT I  
SUPPOSE IF HE HAD STRUGGLED  
A LITTLE HARDER HE WOULDN'T BE  
WHERE HE IS TODAY.



THAT'S RIGHT-MAGGIE-HE  
DID HIS BEST-IT TOOK  
FIVE POLICEMEN TO PUT  
HIM WHERE HE IS.

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Infantry, Camp Lewis, Wash.; Floyd  
M. Kosbab, 50th Infantry, Camp  
Lewis, Wash.; Chas. H. White, 50th  
Infantry, Camp Lewis, Wash.; Ad-  
dolor J. Dousette, 20th Infantry,  
Camp Travis, Texas.

These men have enrolled in the  
New Peace time Army schools and  
will on the completion of their enlist-  
ment be skilled in the trade of their  
own choosing.

Never before were such opportu-  
nities offered to young men of the  
country to secure or complete an edu-  
cation and be paid for so doing, all  
men receive the same pay going to  
school as they would if they did not  
attend school also their clothing, food,  
medical and dental attention, their  
laundry, books and everything fur-  
nished together with all classes of

entertainments and sports. Opportu-  
nity is surely knocking at the door of  
all young men of our country with  
ambition to better themselves in an  
educational way and fit themselves  
for civil life.

Cardinal Gibbons, advises young  
men to enlist in the Army for their  
own good and for the good of the  
country, the Governor of Wisconsin  
says, "I advise all young men who  
are not bound by home ties and those  
who have failed to complete their  
education to enlist in the Army and  
take advantage of the opportunities  
offered by the Government for edu-  
cation."

Captain Harris and his party will

leave for Fortage, Friday, the 11th  
and will recruit there for ten days.

**Vindication for the Pie**  
The great indoor amusement of pie  
eating will probably receive a boost  
as the result of a report recently con-  
tained in a medical journal of the  
tests made of different kinds of food  
which have been in disrepute because  
of the suspicion of indigestibility.  
The pie has been fully acquitted of  
this charge, and has been found to  
be a desirable and suitable food.

**The Beard Stands for Health**  
Dr. Arthur MacDonald, of Wash-  
ington, has taken the roll of the  
patron saint of the beard and is the

author of a lengthy treatise giving  
many reasons why men should wear a  
beard. He claims that the beard of-  
fers immunity for many diseases  
which we are now subject to, in-  
cluding coughs, colds, toothache, re-  
laxed uvula, desquamation and all the  
rheums. Besides this is the item of  
the saving of time usually spent in  
shaving.

**Poison-Laden Lambs**  
As a means of combating the  
activities of dogs, coyotes and other  
animals which make a practice of  
killing sheep, there has been invented  
a poison-barrying collar which is worn  
about the neck of the lamb or sheep

and when the dog seizes the sheep it is deadly, and the marauding animal  
gets an injection of poison which is sheep-killing career is ended.

**Safe Milk for INFANTS and INVALIDS**

ASK FOR  
**Horlicks**  
The Original  
Avoid  
Imitations  
and Substitutes

For Infants, Invalids and Growing Children Rich milk, malted grain extract in Powder  
The Original Food-Drink for All Ages No Cooking—Nourishing—Digestible



"Show Me Your Hands"—

said the wise Woman-Who-Knows, "and I will  
tell you how old you are, and how hard you work!"  
Hands age quickly if they are not well cared for.  
And rough, work-hardened hands go ill with a  
soft gown or trim suit.

That's why Delicine is indispensable to the  
woman who is well groomed. It protects the  
skin—keeps it fresh and healthy, and whisks  
away blemishes and marks. It's soothing and  
healing, with a delightfully clean fragrance.

Try using some after you wash your hands. It  
rubs in, and leaves no stickiness and greasiness.

Have him try some after shaving

# Delicine

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

## Dances for the Victrola

"Anytime, Anywhere"—(Fox Trot)  
"Wang-Wang Blues"—(Fox Trot)

By Paul Whiteman and His Ambassador Orchestra  
Here they are—two more dances by this new famous  
organization. The whole orchestra seems to rock and sway  
with you—as the players actually do.

Victor Double-faced Record, 18694

"Fair One"—(Fox Trot)  
By the Benson Orchestra of Chicago  
Here is an Afro-Indian-Novelty-mixture, nature of  
style—everything you like thrown into one. Truly it is an  
electrifying fox trot.

"I'd Love to Fall Asleep and Wake Up in My  
Manum's Arms"—(Fox Trot)  
By the Benson Orchestra of Chicago  
There is no use being serious when a dance like this  
begins. You might as well drop your dignity and join.  
Victor Double-faced Record, 18697

"Chili Bean"—(Fox Trot)  
By the Benson Orchestra of Chicago  
A musical comedy, that will make you dance steps you  
never thought of before.

"My Little Bimbo"—(One-Step)  
By the Benson Orchestra of Chicago  
The adventures of a sailor who met the  
Bimbo down on the Bamboo Isle have in-  
spired a better-sounding one-step that will  
keep you dancing half the night.  
Victor Double-faced Record, 18698

"Dance-O-Mania"  
(Fox Trot)  
By Selvin's Novelty Orchestra  
"Dance-O-Mania" is the newest  
creation. To cure it the music doctors  
confer you to a dance-floor and pre-  
scribe the record every few minutes  
in one heaping Victrola-full of music.

"Old Man Jazz"  
(Fox Trot)  
By the All Star Trio  
Not such an old man either, if  
actions count. He can shake heels  
with any of you.  
Victor Double-faced Record, 18699

We're always ready  
to play you any of the  
New-Victor  
Records for  
December



# Fred Leithold Piano Co.

325 Main Street

Victrola Dealers of La Crosse

Five Dollar Day  
Sale  
Thursday Only

# FRED W. KRUSE CO.

WOMEN'S, MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S APPAREL.  
Between 5th and 6th on Main

Five Dollar Day  
Sale  
Thursday Only

# Five Dollar Day Sale

## Sweaters

An odd lot of Sweaters in  
slip-ons and coat styles, val-  
ues to \$19.50.

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Scarfs

Scarfs in light and dark,  
fancy shades, values to  
\$8.95

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Kimonos

Japanese Crepe Kimonos,  
in pink, rose, light blue,  
values to \$7.95

# \$5

## Waists

Georgette, Satin and Crepe  
de Chine Waists, values to  
\$13.75, for

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Middy Blouses

"Paul Jones" cotton Middy  
Blouses, values to  
\$3.95, at

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Sweaters

Shetlands, in coat styles  
and slip-ons, values to \$15.

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## Bath Robes

Women's, Misses' and Chil-  
dren's sizes, values to \$7.95

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## House Aprons

Fine Gingham and Percale  
Aprons, sold formerly at  
\$2.95 to \$3.95, at

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Blouses

Silk Georgette, Satin, Crepe  
de Chine and Lingerie  
Blouses, values to \$13.75

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## Middy Blouses

All wool Serge Middys,  
sold formerly at \$6.95 and  
\$8.95, for

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Children's Dresses

Serge and Knitted Sweater  
Dresses, values up to \$10,  
at

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Underwear

One large table of silk Chemise,  
Corsets, Muslin Gowns and Che-  
mises, Silk Vests, values  
to \$5.00, your choice of 2 for

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## Skirts

25 All Wool Serge and Silk  
Skirts, formerly sold at \$10,  
\$12.50 and \$15.00, for

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Jersey Petticoats

All Jersey Silk Petticoats  
from our regular stock, val-  
ues to \$12.50

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## Brassieres

Mme. Irene and B. J. Bras-  
sieres, sold formerly at  
\$3.00 and \$3.75, at

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## KIMONOS AND HOUSE DRESSES

Crepe and Flannellette Kimonos  
and House Dresses, sold for-  
merly at \$3.95 to

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Corsets

An odd lot of Corsets, val-  
ues up to \$10.00, at

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## Radmoor Hose

Silk and Wool Hose, values  
\$2.00 and \$2.50, 3 pairs  
at

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## Children's Dresses

Gingham, Organdie and  
Voile Dresses, sold former-  
ly up to \$5.95, at

DOWNSTAIRS STORE

# \$5

## Silk Underwear

Silk Chemise, Silk Gowns,  
Kayser Shirts and Knickers,  
values to \$10.00

MAIN FLOOR

# \$5

## HATS

55 Hats, values up to \$15,  
\$5.00 Dollar Day

MILLINERY DEPT.

# \$5



### AMERICAN LEGION BRIGHTEN LIFE OF MEN IN HOSPITALS

The life of the service man still in the hospital, suffering from wounds or injuries received in the service, is made more worth while by the American Legion. The Legion is looking toward the welfare of every soldier in every hospital in the United States.

Henry J. Hoelzer, commander of Frank J. Shuman post of La Crosse, attended a meeting of the state executive committee of the American Legion in Milwaukee and a general plan was outlined under which each local will operate.

The national commander has set as the first and most important object of the American Legion, the work of making life more worth living for the service men still in the hospitals.

Visit Men Every Week  
The part the local post of the Legion is to play in this is to see that every ex-serviceman in every hospital in the United States is visited at least once every week by individual members or committees from the Legion post nearest to him and to interest the general public in the welfare of the men not as an abstract problem but as a concrete debt they owe.

Outings, automobile rides, entertainment, dances, smokers and meetings for those who are well enough to enjoy them are to be given. Men are to be supplied with books, magazines and smoked fish on an occasional outburst of generosity but as a regular routine.

The committee visiting hospitals will make out a record card which will be forwarded to the national commander of the Legion as evidence that posts of this department are doing their duty toward disabled men and so the Legion may have a complete list of men in hospitals.

Legion Election Tuesday  
Post Commander Streich requests that every Legion member attend the regular meeting next Tuesday night at which time the officers for the coming year will be elected. All ex-servicemen are invited to attend the meeting of the American Legion which is held at the Eagles' hall the second Tuesday of every month.

One farm in every four in Ontario is an automobile.

**Help Yourself**  
As a builder of strength or protection against weakness

**Scott's Emulsion**  
has stood the exacting test of time. Help yourself to renewed strength, take Scott's Emulsion!

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 20-30

### HENRY J. HOELZER IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF PRINTERS' UNION

Henry J. Hoelzer was elected president of the Printers' union, No. 448, at the annual election held last Monday night. Other officers chosen: Michael Roubik, vice president; Arthur L. Schroeder, recording secretary; Frank Dialler, financial secretary; and Edwin Schilling, sergeant-at-arms. Sam Johnson addressed the printers, outlining the plan to buy Yeomen hall and convert it into a labor temple.

### SAGE AND SULPHUR DARKENS GRAY HAIR

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Restore Color, Gloss and Attractiveness

Almost every one knows that Sage and Sulphur properly compounded brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago, the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients at a small cost.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.

**DOERFLINGER'S**

**EXTRA  
Combination  
SOAP SPECIAL**

10 Bars of Crystal White Soap ..... 49c  
2 Packages Sea Foam ..... 10c  
2 Bars of Creme Oil Soap 10c

All the above for... **69c**  
And remember, you get cash Discount Stamps, too.

**Mixed Nuts**

1920 crop Mixed Nuts, per pound... **19c**  
(Limit 1 pound.)

**Sardines**

Another lot of Sardines, put in good oil, can... **5c**

**Peas and Corn**

Thursday we place on sale 1,000 cans of Onalaska Peas and Corn, at per **10c**  
(Limit 5 cans of each.)

**Winter Sale**

70 Pure Bred Holsteins 70

**Monday, Dec. 13**

Waukesha, Wisconsin  
(18 miles west of Milwaukee)

25 Pure Bred Bulls of serviceable age or near serviceable age, some with record dams up to 1040 lbs. butter in 365 days.

25 Pure Bred Cows and Heifers of world's record breeding and bred to such bulls as the following:

	Butter in 7 days	Butter in 365 days
Sir Johanna Oak Forbes Homestead.....	30.0	943.0
Pastor Hengerveld Pontiac.....	34.0	
Sir Priety Echo Sylvia.....	31.26	900.0
Woodcraft King Superba Supreme.....	35.78	1046.0
Woodcraft Perfection.....	40.06	1231.0
King Superba.....	34.0	927.0
Grainhold Segis Pontiac Lad.....	30.0	

20 Pure Bred unbred Heifers of all ages, most of them sired by such bulls as the above. All animals from tuberculin tested herds.

Sale at 10 A. M. in heated pavilion

Waukesha County Breeders

Holstein-Friesian Association

Waukesha, Wisconsin

**"The House of Satisfaction"**

**SPECIAL**  
Navy blue Camisoles, beautifully embroidered with gold thread, paradise effects. Values up to \$6.50, all sizes—  
**Now \$2.98**

**FIELD'S**  
425 MAIN STREET  
LA CROSSE, WIS.  
New York Milwaukee Minneapolis Kenosha

**SPECIAL**  
100 pairs of Van Raalte all silk Hosiery, No. 535 and No. 7100 in white, brown, grey, champagne, values to \$6.50, pair—  
**Now \$2.50**

**Phenomenal Reduction of Prices**  
During Our

**CHRISTMAS SALE**

**La Crosse's Greatest Coat Sale**

La Crosse womenfolk are crowding our store for these wonderful coat values, and why shouldn't they, the styles are strictly new, just what the better dressed woman wants; the savings are so great, our customers do not hesitate to tell us so. They realize that coat values, and coat styles such as we are now selling cannot be duplicated because these prices are actually below wholesale. Prices must drop, from the mill to the purchaser and during this reconstruction period the public is offered the benefit of the retailers', manufacturers' and mills' losses. Priced this sale at --

**\$69.50**

These coats that formerly sold up to \$149.50 are made of the newest materials, newest styles and trimmed with luxurious furs. If interested in a coat see these wonderful values.

**PLUSH COATS**  
OUR WONDERFUL OFFERING OF PLUSH COATS valued to \$89.50 has taken wonderfully well. We still have a large number of these coats that we will offer during the remainder of the season. All silk Plush Coats, Suits, and H. H. Plushes, fur trimmed, on sale at **\$45**

**CHAPPIE COATS**  
Our store has earned the name of Chappie Coat Store, as our offerings in these Coats were really wonderful.  
36-in. brown suede cloth leather lined Coats, Australian Opossum, collars and cuffs, on sale at **\$35.00**  
38-inch heather mixture chappie Coats, raccoon and opossum collar and cuffs, full leather lined, specially priced at **\$59.50**

**WOOL and SILK DRESSES** Entire stock of Wool and Silk Dresses now on sale at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES  
Our stock is greatly varied and we cannot enumerate the wonderful values. But we urge you to see these dresses at the NEW CUT PRICES. All new styles and remarkably low priced.

**Real Holiday Gift Suggestions**  
For the Feminine Sex

**LADIES' JERSEY BLOOMERS**  
Long silk jersey Bloomers, green, navy, purple, taupe, Belgian, brown, corse, special, pair—  
**\$5**

**Silk Chemise**  
Heavy crepe de chine Chemise, very new, trimmed with filet lace, special—  
**\$5**

**KIMONOS**  
Cotton crepe Kimonos Japanese styles, pink, blue, lavender, all heavily embroidered—  
**\$5**

**Robes**  
Beautiful quilted, imported habitaui silk, special at—  
**\$15**

**SILK UNDERWEAR**  
Silk Jersey Vests—  
**\$3.25**  
Silk Jersey embroidered Vests, special—  
**\$4.95**  
New Firshoon vests and bloomers, suit **\$7.75**

**SILK KIMONOS**  
Habitaui silk Japanese Kimonos, beautifully embroidered special at—  
**\$15**

**CREPE DE CHINE BLOOMERS**  
Knee length heavy Bloomers, special at pair **\$3.50**  
Wash Satin Chemises, flesh only **98c**

**SILK WAISTS**  
Our entire stock of Silk Waists, now selling at—  
Waists, at **\$3.95**  
Waists, at **\$6.98**  
Waists, at **\$8.98**  
Waists, at **\$9.98**  
All special values.

**CREPE DE CHINE CHEMISE**  
Beautiful garments, specially priced at—  
Chemise, at **\$2.98**  
Chemise, at **\$3.98**  
Chemise, at **\$4.50**  
Chemise, at **\$6.98**  
Chemise, at **\$8.98**

**WOOL SWEATER SPECIAL**  
New blouse ti-back Sweaters, all wanted shades, Angora trimmed, special at **\$6.98**

**GOWNS**  
Crepe de Chine, at **\$6.75**  
Gowns, at **\$10.95**  
Gowns, at **\$11.50**  
Gowns, at **\$12.50**  
Gowns, at **\$13.75**  
Gowns, at **\$16.75**  
All special values.  
Our entire stock of wool plaid skirts, now greatly reduced.  
Skirts, at **\$8.75**  
Skirts, at **\$11.50**  
Skirts, at **\$14.75**  
Skirts, at **\$16.98**

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# PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BIG CITIES OFFER RACIAL PROBLEM

Interesting Address Given at Men's Dinner at the First Presbyterian Church

Public schools in Chicago which are distinctively European in their racial make-up, is one of the features of the problem of "Americanization" which now confronts our nation. This line of information was part of the introductory remarks of Professor E. L. Walters of the Normal School, who spoke upon the foregoing subject at the Men's dinner at First Presbyterian church last evening.

In that city there is a Dante school, where the attendance is almost entirely Italian; another Polish, another Austrian. During the pre-war days, while the tide of immigration from Europe was flowing so strongly, it became necessary, in one district, to set apart three rooms for Russian children, where an interpreter of the Russian language had to be employed for these newly arrived citizens to be. However, a few years under teachers with ideals and language exercises truly American, reveal decided evidences of blending. In Hibbing, Minn., where perhaps eighty per cent of the people are foreign, the junior high school discloses the unifying effects of our public school system. Racial peculiarities are not nearly so conspicuous in these advanced grades.

Professor Walters made it plain that, while the school was meeting this condition with as much specialization as possible, yet the home and the church were equally responsible. To this end, Rev. M. O. Magnuson of North Presbyterian church reported upon some approaches being made by the church, which he heard at the recent meeting of the Presbyterian general assembly in Philadelphia. "Social centers" in Gary and Clinton, Ind., and "neighborhood houses" along the Cogiebe Iron range in our own state are instances. Italian and Bohemian churches in Pittsburgh and New York, together with a Persian mission in Chicago and numerous Mexican and Japanese centers in the far west are further evidences of successful attempts along this line. This part of the work being entirely gratuitous, and supplemented by the simple religious information about Christianity, adds the "honor" element so much needed in American life, especially among these peoples who have been coerced by autocratic methods of church and state in their former home lands.

A full attendance and a sumptuous dinner, served by the ladies' society, made the occasion pleasant as well as profitable. Surprise features of the evening were the musical numbers rendered by the Mulder violin and piano trio, and by the newly formed song circle of the men. C. V. Johnson, first vice president, presided.

# HOLD-UP ARTISTS SHOT BY POLICE ONE IS KILLED

HURLEY, Wis.—Robert Larson, 24, of Ironwood, Mich., was fatally shot and Raymond Diamond Livingstone, 25, also of Ironwood, had his left forearm shattered Tuesday when they were fired upon by Policemen Jack Paul of Hurley while they were in the act of holding up a gambling den here known as Lyle's place.

# CITY MARKET

Market conditions at the present time are quiet, falling considerably behind the sales of last year is the information given out Wednesday at the office of the city scales. Very little wood and enough hay to supply the local demand has come in from the farmers this fall, says the report. The following are the current prices listed on the market on Wednesday:

Cord wood, oak—\$12 per cord.  
Block wood, oak—\$15 per cubic foot.  
Soft wood, green—Offered at \$6 per cord.  
Tame hay—\$26 per ton.  
Wild hay—\$12 to \$15 per ton.  
Straw—\$7 to \$9 per ton.  
Oats—\$36 per bushel.  
Bar corn—\$9c per bushel.  
Dressed beef, quarters—12c to 14c.

# MINSTREL REVIEW AT ST. WENCESLAUS SCHOOL THURSDAY

The annual Minstrel Review for the benefit of the St. Wenceslaus church will be held in the St. Wenceslaus school building, corner of Tenth and Winnebago streets on Thursday evening, Dec. 9.

The Review is to be put on by the young people of the church. The entertainment will include the minstrel together with several vaudeville acts. A six piece orchestra including George Kabat, Nick Gimbaum, Edward Bonnik, Felix Berauek, Ed Shadesky and William Temp has been engaged to furnish music for the entertainment.

# SECRET TREATY PROVIDES LOAN FOR JUGO-SLAVS

ROME.—Italy and Jugo-Slavia reached a secret understanding at Rapallo, where the treaty settling the Adriatic problem was negotiated, by which the former would loan 1,500,000,000 liras to the latter through an Italian bank, according to the Giornale d'Italia.

It is asserted the secret understanding contains the basis for an Italo-Jugo-Slav defensive military alliance. It would, therefore, appear that Italy has become part of the "little entente" made up of Jugo-Slavia, Czechoslovakia and Rumania, but without appearing officially as a member.

# RIVERS AND HARBORS CONGRESS SINS ESSION

WASHINGTON—More than a thousand delegates were here Wednesday for the sixteenth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors congress.

Among the questions to come before the congress that of expediting the New York canal was expected to receive the most discussion. Endorsement of the project by the last congress failed on objections by certain western delegations who favored the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway.

# MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour \$9 to 55 cents lower in carload lots. Family patents quoted at \$9.10 to \$9.30 a barrel in 55-pound cotton sacks. Shipments, \$1.25 a barrel.

Drum—\$26.00.

The lord mayor of London is annually elected from among the aldermen who have been sheriffs of the city.

# COURT BARS SALE IN THE U. S. OF BRITISH PLANES

NEW YORK.—Federal Judge Julius M. Meyer Tuesday granted an injunction restraining the Aircraft Disposal company, Limited, Handley Page, Ltd., and their representative here from importing to this country 2,365 British airplanes and 34,000 motors. These machines from part of a lot valued at \$500,000,000 thrown over to the Aircraft Disposal company at one per cent of their cost for sale here through Handley-Page.

The restraining order was issued on application of the Wright Aeronautical Corporation, which asserting the surplus British war planes were infringements of Wright patents, declared that if they were allowed to enter the United States the new industry here would be ruined.

# DEDICATE TRENCH OF BAYONETS AT VERDUN

VERDUN, France.—Dedictory ceremonies were held here Wednesday at the monument erected to preserve the famous "Trench of the Bayonets." This monument, which is over a trench in which was entombed a battalion of French soldiers during 1916, was made possible by a gift of 500,000 francs by George B. Rand of Buffalo, N. Y., who was killed in an airplane accident in England last December, his son assuming the obligation.

# NOTRE DAME MAY PLAY PACIFIC FLEET ELEVEN

SOUTE BEND, Ind.—Notre Dame university's football team will leave December 18 for its Christmas day game at San Francisco with the Pacific fleet eleven if the condition of George Gipp, star halfback, who has been seriously ill continues to improve. The game is dependent on his condition.

# HARDING BACK AT MARION

MARION, O.—With his return to Marion President-elect Harding was ready to begin actual constructive work on the policies of the coming administration. In Washington the last two days he felt out opinions on many subjects and he let it be known today that he was well pleased with the result. He told friends he believed his ideal of party government and common understanding had been furthered by his talks with republican leaders and that his canvass of sentiment regarding an association of nations had been particularly encouraging.

# Father Was Once a Boy

Johnny liked ice cream, but he drew the line at turning the freezer. One day when his mother returned home she was agreeably surprised to find him working away at the crank as though his life depended on it.

"I don't see how you got him to turn the freezer," she said to her husband. "I offered him a dime to do it."

"You didn't go at it the right way, my dear," replied her husband. "I bet him a nickel he couldn't run it for half an hour."

# MEMPHIS—E. A. Long says he's

\$20,000 from being a crook. He has sued T. E. Johnson for that amount, claiming Johnson charged him with being crooked.

Damascus is mentioned in Genesis as existing 1950 B. C. and even then apparently was a city of note.

Martin Luther entered a monastery contrary to the wishes of his father who desired him to take up the study of law.

# WILSON SILENT ON COURSE IN REGARD TO PEACE TREATY

WASHINGTON.—Discussion as to what President Wilson will do with regard to the peace treaty before he goes out of office, has brought no information from the white house. Officials supposedly in the president's confidence profess to know nothing of his intentions, but they believe he may take some affirmative action, possibly in the form of a special message to congress.

The peace treaty has been in the archives of the white house executive offices since it was returned to the president by the senate.

# GYPSIES LEAVE TOWN RATHER THAN REMAIN AND PAY ADDED FINE

Rather than remain in the city and have two additional members of their tribe arraigned on the charge of practicing fortune telling, the entire aggregation of prognosticators have departed hence, nevermore to return.

When arraigned in police court last Friday, one of the members was found guilty of violating a city ordinance prohibiting fortune telling within the city and was fined \$50 and costs. In the face of having two other members of the tribe arraigned on a similar charge in the event they remained in the city, the band has departed for parts unknown.

# K. P. ELECTION

At its regular meeting last night, John P. Linton lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, elected the following officers:

- Chancellor commander—Benjamin Nowak.
- Vice chancellor—J. C. Morgan.
- Prelate—Will Noble.
- Master work—Walter Winter.
- Keeper of records and seal—Walter Schol.
- Master of Finance—Henry Freehoff.
- Master of exchequer—Bert A. Jollivet.
- Master at arms—Paul Lawrence.
- Tuner guard—Michael Nowak.
- Outer guard—Charles Lang.
- Trustee—E. J. Lund.

# Obituary

ROBERT D. LARSON  
Robert Dauti Larson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Larson, 227 South Ninth street, died at 7:30 Wednesday morning after an illness of only one day. He was two years and four months old.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon from St. Mary's church. Rev. Dr. Robert B. Condon will officiate and interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

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# ARMENIAN WAR MINISTER GOES OVER TO REDS

CONSTANTINOPLE.—Reports declare the war minister of Armenia has proclaimed a military dictatorship over that country. He is said to have joined bolshevik troops at Baku and to be advancing toward Erivan, where a soviet government was proclaimed on December 3.

Following announcement that a soviet government for Armenia had been established, a council of peoples commissaries was constituted.

The communist movement is reported spreading in Armenia, and outbreaks are said to have occurred near Alexandropol, which is occupied by Turkish Nationalists.

# From a Chilly Hen

Bix (in restaurant)—You ordered your eggs boiled six minutes. You must like 'em pretty hard.

D'x—Not at all, but I know the kind of eggs you get in this joint, and I allowed three minutes for them to thaw out.—Boston Transcript.

# ODD FELLOWS LODGE AND RUTH CHAPTER ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Gateway City Lodge, No. 53, I. O. O. F., held its annual election on Monday. William Schicklerowsky was chosen noble grand; Walter Sheppard, vice grand; Paul W. Mahoney, secretary; William Yeo, treasurer; C. D. Sheppard, trustee.

Ruth Chapter, No. 23, O. E. S., at the annual election Tuesday night picked the following officers: Mrs. Nellie Osterhout, worthy matron; Mrs. L. C. White, worthy patron; Mrs. Emma Larkin, associate patron; Mrs. Alice Gale, conductress; Mrs. Mamie Manes, secretary; Mrs. Alice Everett, treasurer; Mrs. Emma Frey, trustee.

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# PARCEL POST TO NORWAY OPENED

Restrictions against the mailing of parcel post packages to Norway, imposed on the first day of December, were removed by the postoffice department today, according to notification received by Postmaster O. E. Skarr. Christmas packages consigned to persons in Norway may now be mailed here.

# COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of Pape's Cold Compound taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks any cold right up. The very first dose opens closed nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness. "Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's.

# IN THE PUBLIC EYE

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Five Towns Vote Dry in Local Liquor Vote Under New Temperance Act

### SECOND VOTE TAKEN AFTER LAPSE OF THREE YEARS

Dry Jubilant Over Gains Made in Glasgow

EDINBURGH. — Scotland has at last five dry spots: Kilmory, Sanquhar, Kirkcaldy, Auchtermuchty and Rutherglen, as the result of the local vote under the Temperance Act. The towns, Newport and Langholm, voted for a limitation in the sale of whisky, and the other Scottish towns voted for "no change."

Everywhere the polling caused great excitement, and there was a large gathering of people. In Glasgow, the police were on duty, and there was a large gathering of people. In Glasgow, the police were on duty, and there was a large gathering of people.



for no-licence or reduction of licenses as for "no change." This is better than any American city similar to Glasgow did after 20 years' balloting.

Religious Competition  
Dr. Lyman P. Powell give some examples of the lengths to which petty

### SOCIALISTS DEMAND U. S. RECOGNITION OF IRISH REPUBLIC

CHICAGO, Ill.—The socialist party in a resolution adopted last Tuesday night by the executive council, and made public Tuesday, calls upon the government of the United States, "to use its efforts toward preventing a continuation of the existing outrages now being committed upon the Irish people and officially recognize the Irish republic."

Another resolution, dealing with the reasons why the socialist party did not affiliate with the Russian Third international and agree to the 21 terms laid down by the Moscow soviet, says: "We concede to the Russian comrades the right to formulate their own internal policies without interference from any other section of the working class movement of the world, what we concede to them we claim for ourselves."

The text of the Irish resolution says: "The socialist party of the United States, protests against the bloody regime in Ireland. The savage repression indulged in by the Lloyd George government in Ireland, in the face of a great popular vote in favor of Irish independence, is a cynical commentary on the ethical pretensions of the ruling classes in England."

### COMPLAINT AGAINST DEAF SCHOOL NOT VERIFIED SAYS CARY

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Milwaukee's deaf high school is well equipped and under capable management, according to an informal report by the investigating committee composed of C. P. Cary, state superintendent of schools, and Miss Ellen M. Sabin, president of Milwaukee-Downer college, which sat Tuesday at the school, Knapp and Cass streets.

"We have found nothing so far to substantiate the complaints which have been made," said Mr. Cary. "We have all confidence in those in charge of the school. The pupils are happy and the teachers are well pleased with conditions."

### MOUNTED POLICE ON ANNUAL EXPEDITION TO ARCTIC POINTS

DAWSON, Y. T.—Canadian Royal Mounted police under Sergeant Dempsey, famous trail breaker and member of the force, are on their way Tuesday on the first relay of the annual winter expedition to Arctic coast points. The party left here Monday for Hart river on the rocky mountain divide, after which they will return to Dawson, leaving again the last of December on the 500-mile dash for Fort McPherson at the mouth of the McKenzie river.

From that point connecting relays will go through to Rampart house and Herschel Island, where the latest news will be obtained from the whaling fleet and Arctic explorers frozen in for the winter.

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# ABOLISH OFFICE OF TOWN ASSESSOR ASK TAX COMMISSIONERS

Election of County Assessor Under Civil Service Urged in Report

## BOARD ADVOCATES REPEAL OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OFFSET

Only 57% of Income Tax Ever Collected in Cash

MADISON, Wis.—The abolition of the office of town assessor and the election of a county assessor who shall be chosen by the civil service on an adequate salary for a long term is advocated by the state tax commission in their report sent to the governor on Wednesday. The commission also recommends the repeal of the personal property offset to the income tax and changes in the income tax law.

In regard to income tax legislation the tax commission again recommends the repeal of the personal property offset. It says that since the enactment of the income tax law only 57 percent of the taxes levied have been collected in cash. Forty-three percent of such tax has been offset by the personal property tax. The total amount of tax levied from 1913 to 1920 inclusive was \$55,142,235.14. Of this amount \$29,097,259.18 was collected in cash. In view of the present demand for revenue to meet public

expenditures this seems to be an opportune time to repeal the offset provision. In 1920 the offset amounted to \$5,371,606.41. With the repeal of the offset provision this amount would have been added to the revenue of the state.

The income tax is largely an urban tax. The total offset in 1920 was \$5,371,606.41. Of this amount \$4,666,777.79 was used in cities and only \$904,814.62 in towns and villages.

The commission recommends that the family exemption of residents be extended to non-residents of the state to comply with the United States Supreme Court decision rendered on the same feature in the income tax law of New York. The commission refrains from recommending any increase in the exemptions now provided.

At present dividends from banks are not subject to the income tax in the hands of the stockholder but the commission recommends that in the event that the personal property effect provision be abolished (that such dividends be taxed).

The commission also favors a more liberal treatment of the secrecy provision in regard to income tax returns and quotes the division of Markets and certain other civic bodies as having sought for information contained in income tax returns for the purpose of effectively carrying on their respective activities, but the commission has not been able under the present provision of the law to oblige them. It does not advocate opening up the returns to the general public but believes they should open to other departments under appropriate rules. The commission also suggests that the dividend deduction allowed individuals be reduced to \$5,000 in analogy with the federal surtax act.

The commission recommends that the rate of taxation on individual incomes be made to correspond with the

rate now applicable to corporations. The first part of the report dwells upon the work of the commission during the biennial period. The great advance in the value of real estate dwellings and the method of arriving at valuations for purposes of state assessment. The state assessment of real estate and personal property is well used as the basis to determine the rate of all property in the state upon local assessment rolls. The tax commission endeavors to find the true value of such property in compliance with legal requirements. For the purpose of arriving at such valuation for state assessment it has been customary to use a five years' average of values but owing to the rapid increase in real estate during the last two or three years the commission in 1920 adopted a three year period as the basis of its assessment of real estate. The state assessment of real estate in 1919 on a five year basis was \$3,175,603,175 and in 1920 based on a three years' average on sales \$3,565,811,458, or an increase of 12 percent. If the five years' average of sales had been used in 1920 the increase would have been 6.33 percent.

While the general property of the state has increased at this rapid rate the valuation of railroads, whether based on capitalization or on the stock and bond market values, have decreased. In 1917 all railroads were assessed by the commission at \$384,570,000 and paid taxes amounting to \$5,328,476.69. In 1920 the assessment of railroads was \$360,734,000 and the tax \$6,837,056.47. In other words, while the value decreased \$24,136,000 the tax paid by railroads increased \$1,508,579.78.

This large increase in tax in spite of the decrease in valuation is due to the fact that public expenditures have increased far more relatively

than values. This is accounted for in new public activities such as highway construction and maintenance on unprecedented scale, the increase in school expenditures, and the high cost of labor and material to carry on public activities. The average tax of the state in 1917 was \$18.84—per one thousand dollars of valuation, while in 1920 it had increased to \$18.96.

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Ladies' Flannelette Gowns that formerly sold at \$2.50, for **\$1.95**

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**DON'T FAIL** to take advantage of these bargains. You will find hundreds of bargains not advertised. Many of these will make acceptable Christmas gifts.

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will be sold during this sale regardless of former cost to us. Your choice of our entire stock in seven lots:

Lot 1	Formerly sold at \$29.50 and \$32.50, on sale these last three days for	<b>\$19.95</b>
Lot 2	Formerly sold at \$37.50 and \$45.00, on sale these last three days for	<b>\$29.95</b>
Lot 3	Formerly sold at \$49.98 and \$59.98, on sale these last three days for	<b>\$39.95</b>
Lot 4	Formerly sold at \$69.00 and \$79.00, on sale these last three days for	<b>\$59.95</b>
Lot 5	Formerly sold at \$95.00 and \$110.00, on sale these last three days for	<b>\$79.95</b>
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Lot 3	Values up to \$45.00 for this sale only	<b>\$29.95</b>
Lot 4	Values up to \$55.00 for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
Lot 5	Values up to \$100.00 for this sale only	<b>\$49.95</b>

## Georgette Crepe Waists in Three Lots

Your choice of our entire stock of Georgette Crepe Waists in three lots:

LOT 1—Waists that sold up to \$8.50, for—	LOT 2—Waists that sold up to \$12.50, for—	LOT 3—Waists that sold up to \$29.50, for—
<b>\$3.95</b>	<b>\$5.95</b>	<b>\$11.95</b>

**ALL SALES** for cash—no exchanges or refunds, and on account of the big reductions, and to save expense, we must ask you to carry your parcels.

## Last Three Days of These Big Specials

One lot of Worsted Goods that formerly sold at \$1.25 up to \$2 per yard, for	<b>95c</b>	Ladies' Chamoisette Gloves, \$1.25 value, for	<b>95c</b>
6 yards of Unbleached Muslin for	<b>95c</b>	Ladies' Silk Gloves, for	<b>95c</b>
5 yards of Unbleached Muslin for	<b>95c</b>	3 pairs of Cashmere Gloves sold for 59c a pair, for	<b>95c</b>
2 yards of Pillow Tucking for	<b>95c</b>	<b>33 1/3 Percent Discount on all Fur Coats, Muffs and Neck Pieces.</b>	
5 yards of Daisy Bleached Muslin for	<b>95c</b>	3 Men's Initial Handkerchiefs for	<b>95c</b>
2 yards of Feather Ticking for	<b>95c</b>	5 Men's Handkerchiefs for	<b>95c</b>
Fancy Hair Pins for	<b>95c</b>	5 Ladies' embroidered Handkerchiefs for	<b>95c</b>
Black and colored Poplins, grey, tan and Nile green Taffeta and fancy Silks. These formerly sold at \$1.49 up to \$3 per yard, for	<b>95c</b>	Fancy boxed Handkerchiefs, 3 and 6 in box	<b>95c</b>
3 yards of Dress Gingham that formerly sold at 50c per yard, for	<b>95c</b>	2 pairs of Ladies' Hose for	<b>95c</b>
2 yards of Dress Gingham and Madras Cloth that formerly sold at 65c per yard, for	<b>95c</b>	Your choice of our entire stock of Bath Robes that always sold at \$10 and \$12.98, for	<b>\$6.95</b>
4 yards of Percales, light and dark colors	<b>95c</b>	Ladies' Silk Hose, \$2.00 values for	<b>95c</b>
Tub Silks, sold for \$1.75, for	<b>95c</b>	5 Turkish Towels for	<b>95c</b>
4 yards of white and colored Outing Flannels for	<b>95c</b>	3 Turkish Towels for	<b>95c</b>
21 yards of 36-inch white and colored Outing Flannel for	<b>95c</b>	2 Fancy Turkish Towels for	<b>95c</b>
2 yards of Duckling fleece, 69c a yard, for	<b>95c</b>	Jersey Knit Bloomers for	<b>95c</b>

## BED SPREADS IN THREE LOTS:

Lot 1—\$3.50 values for—	Lot 2—Values up to \$5.00 for—	Lot 3—Values up to \$11.00 for—
<b>\$1.95</b>	<b>\$2.95</b>	<b>\$6.95</b>
<b>BLANKETS AT A BARGAIN DURING THIS SALE.</b>		
Tan Blankets, blue and pink border, \$2.98 value, for—	Plaid Blankets, sold this fall for \$6.50, for—	Plaid Blankets, sold this fall for \$8.50, for—
<b>\$1.95</b>	<b>\$3.95</b>	<b>\$4.95</b>



## MILWAUKEE ASKS TO HAVE STATE OFFICES MOVED TO THAT CITY

Commerce Association Seeks to Revive Old Bill Creating Capitol Branch

MADISON, Wis.—An effort will be made at the coming session of the legislature to move a number of the departments of the capitol to Milwaukee. Word to this effect has been received in Madison from Milwaukee, where a member of the Association of Commerce in that city declared that the association would interest itself in affecting the move.

The plan was given an impetus with the announcement that the present new state capitol was already inadequate and that an entire office building had to be rented to house the departments during the coming session of the legislature. Probably every department will be moved to the Overland building in Madison before January 1. A lease has been made for the building for six years.

The Milwaukee man claims that considerable work of the state could be transferred to Milwaukee and that new buildings are to be erected. Milwaukee should be the place. M. P. Blumengard, superintendent of public property, recently declared that more capitol space was needed and that a building should be erected in Madison on East Washington avenue to house the overflow departments. By erecting the new building on East Washington avenue it could be connected with light and heat with very little extra expense.

It is claimed here that Governor Blaine will attempt to reduce some of the capitol departments and that by arrangement of the capitol space the erection of a new building will be obviated. Several years ago the legislature passed a bill for a capitol building branch in the city of Milwaukee. That law was repealed at a subsequent session of the legislature before any plans had been made for erection of the Milwaukee building. It is probable that the Milwaukee representative has some such plan in view at the coming session.

## THIS IS PRETTY ROUGH ON MAMMA

LONDON.—Randolph G. Wemyss hasn't have his mother visit him longer than a day and night. If he does he loses a lot of money. His father divorced his mother, Lady Lilian Wemyss and married again. When he died and left his estate and his money to his son with the stipulation that his former wife must never live in the house. Son went to court to break the will. Court wouldn't do

## EXPERT GIVES FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES GOVERNING THE WRITING OF A PHOTOPLAY

BY JOSEPH F. POLAND  
(On the Staff of J. Parker Read, Jr., Author of the Screen Adaptation of "A Thousand and One" and Other Hobart Vehicles)

Prizes in the J. Parker Read, Jr. Tribune and Leader-Press scenario contest total \$5,000, to be divided into first, second and third awards of \$2,500, \$1,500 and \$1,000 respectively.

The contest is now open and any reader of the Tribune and Leader-Press is eligible. It closes January 1. The scenario must be written specifically to fit Louise Glauco, J. Parker Read's brilliant screen star. The

be worked out. In writing for the screen the idea or theme is best drawn from real life, from the people you know best, from the stratum of society in which you are familiar. Further love, mother love, self sacrifice, the regeneration of a man or a woman, a man or woman's struggle against a cloud that unjustly hangs over them—these are suggestions for themes, of which there are many.

**Two Main Methods**  
The second phase is also similar to the second step in other creative lines—the development of the idea. In the photoplay, as in the short story, the book, and the drama, there are two main methods of developing an idea:

1.—To select a character or a small group of characters, to depict them so that they seem human and real; so that their actions will logically result in a series of situations, that will develop the idea dramatically.

2.—To build up logical, dramatic situations leading to the big situation or climax, and then select proper characters to fit into these situations, fully developing the idea.

The first method is called characterization; the second is called as plotting. Often the two methods can be combined advantageously.

The third step is where the photoplay begins to differ from creative forms. With your idea now expanded into a plot, wherein are characters, situations, complications and climax, you must tell it in synopsis form. You must tell it simply, briefly and clearly.

Simply—in the simplest of language, not flowers of speech. Briefly—without unnecessary conversation or dwelling on unimportant details.

Clearly—outlining your plot sharply, touching on all the high lights of characterization and essential detail, omitting nothing that is vital and putting in nothing that is trifling.

Too much emphasis cannot be laid upon writing a good synopsis, since the synopsis sells your story. It is the displaying of your wares.

Either the past or present tense can be employed, but the present tense is preferable, as it suggests action more vividly.

**How to Tell Story**  
Tell your story as though describing something that you yourself have seen—that is visualization; and be sure that its events follow in proper sequence just as you would want to see them on the screen with the dramatic interest mounting in each successive paragraph.

The fourth step, the continuity, is

peculiar to the photoplay. The continuity, often called the scenario, is the translation of the synopsis into scenes in which every step of the story's action is detailed.

This part of the work generally is best left to the scenario experts connected with each studio. In submitting stories, it is best to have them merely in synopsis form; that is all any studio desires, as each studio has a different idea as to how its scenarios are to be developed.

This brief article is able merely to touch, rather arbitrarily, upon topics which could be expanded into several volumes. Nevertheless, the rules given above, although general, can safely be said to cover the fundamental principles governing the writing of the photoplay.

Another helpful, Poland article to-morrow.

**Register Now!**  
Scenario Contest Editor:  
I hereby enter the Tribune and Leader-Press J. Parker Read, Jr., \$5,000 scenario contest.

Name .....  
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**Time's Changes**  
Church: "You know that neighbor of mine?"  
Gotham: "That scabby old man?"  
"That's him."

"No, yes; I've seen him."  
"He was once a flourishing doctor."  
"Really?"  
"Now he's a bill collector."

"Time's changes seem really wonderful."

"Yes. When he was a doctor he was paid for a call; now he's a collector, he's very much surprised if he is."—Yonkers Statesman.

**Stop Rheumatism With Red Pepper**

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## STATE COMMITTEE TO DRAFT LIGHTING CODE FOR SCHOOLS

Hearing on at Milwaukee to Determine Standard to be Established

MADISON, Wis.—The first meeting of the advisory committee to draft a school lighting code, appointed by the industrial commission, is being held at Milwaukee Wednesday. This committee is composed of representatives of various state departments having control of the schools of the state and of educators, oculists, illuminating engineer and architects. This committee will draft standards for school lighting comparable to the standards for factory lighting which are contained in the industrial lighting code of the industrial commission.

This committee was appointed because medical examinations of school children have disclosed many cases of permanent injury to eyesight. These examinations have also shown that the number of near-sighted school children increases from class to class. All educators who have given attention to the problem have come to recognize that poor lighting in schools is a frequent cause of retardation and does untold harm to the school children.


According to Mr. John A. Hoereler, electrical engineer of the industrial commission, there has been such rapid progress in the science of lighting that installations which were regarded as good five years ago are now out of date and that installations of ten years ago are antique. It is now recognized that it is not enough to provide a building with windows and to install artificial lighting. Good results cannot be expected, unless attention is given to securing adequate intensity and uniform distribution, and to avoiding dangerous glare. This is particularly necessary in schools, because the eyes of children are peculiarly susceptible to injury.

**A Long Time to Wait**  
"Well, professor," inquired the young musician, "how do my compositions please you?"  
"Why, I think," responded the older man, "that they may perhaps be played when Mozart, Haydn, Mendelssohn and Meyerbeer have been forgotten."  
"Really?" exclaimed the young musician in ecstasy.  
"Certainly, but not till then," remarked the other.—Houston Post.

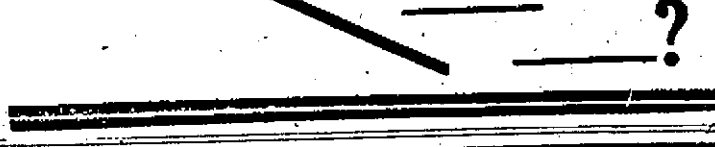
Lapis lazuli was the only stone of any intrinsic value known to the Egyptians under the Pharaohs.

## THE COYOTE LOST TO THE FLIVVER

FORT COLLINS, Col.—Lowell Allen, student at Colorado state agricultural college, on his way to college in his flivver, saw a coyote in the road. The next instant the animal was a gray streak ahead. Allen stepped on the gas. The coyote kept to the road, its tongue hanging out as it broke all coyote records; but nearer and nearer crawled the Henry, with a grin on its radiator, until, with a final grunt and rattle, it leaped upon the vanquished speed king of the prairie and ran over him.



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Of all Things  
you  
Say  
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now		now	
30x3 1/2 CORD, \$35.60 value,	\$22.00	34x4 CORD, \$61.90 value,	\$35.00
now		now	

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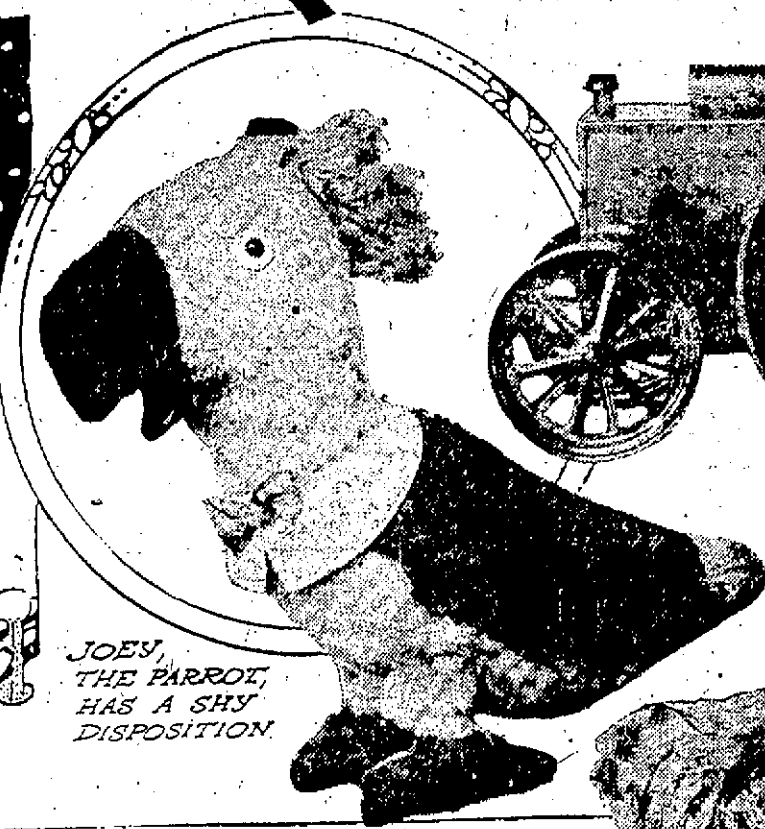
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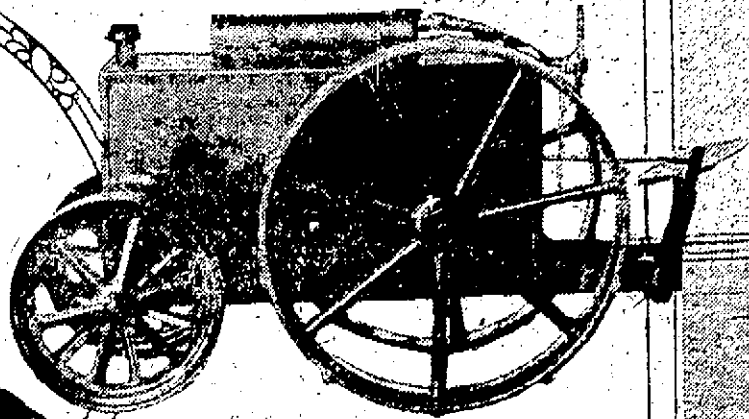
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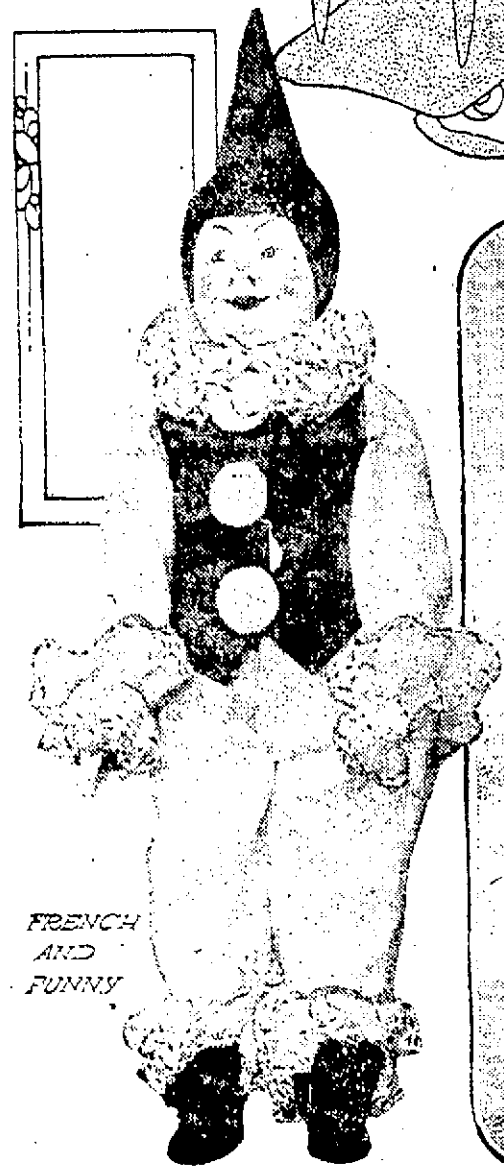
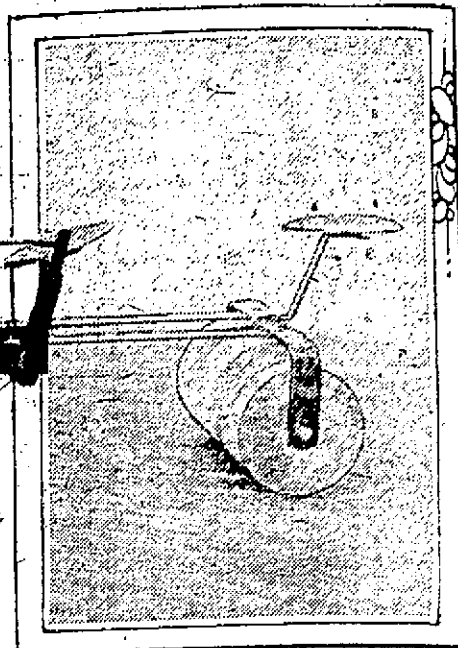
# NEW JOYS FROM TOYLAND



JOE, THE PARROT, HAS A SHY DISPOSITION.



THE TOY TRACTOR IS ONE ANSWER TO "HOW TO KEEP 'EM ON THE FARM?"



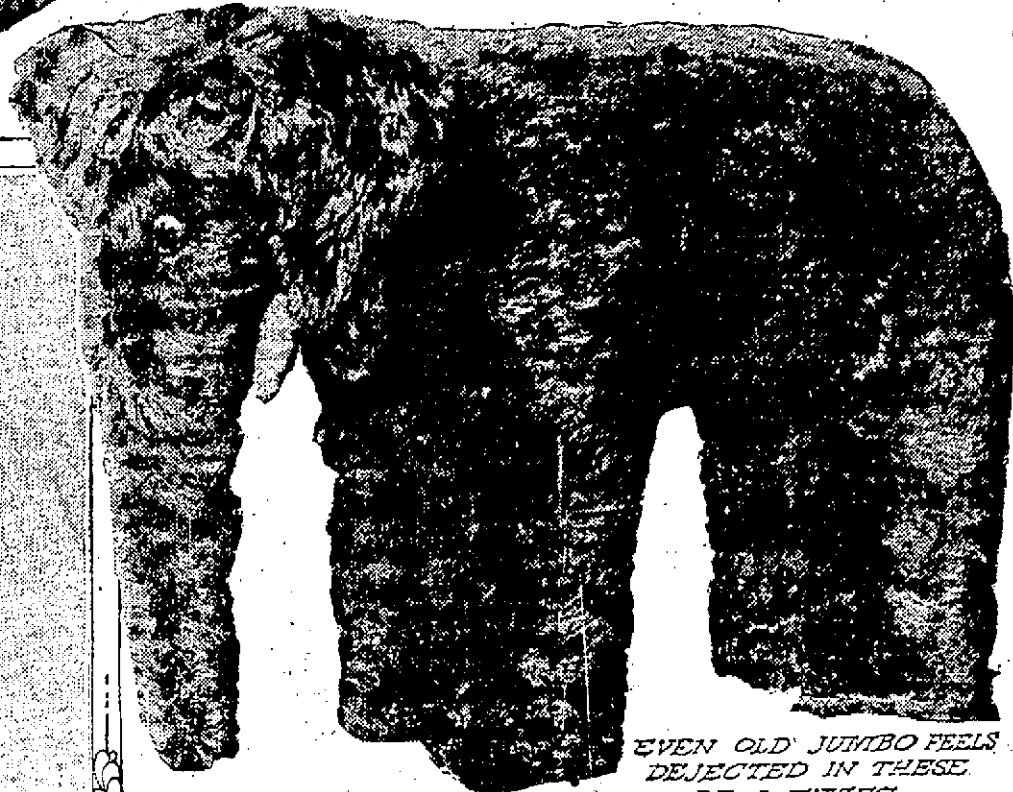
FRENCH AND FUNNY



INTRODUCING "MISS PATSY"



HE DIDN'T WANT HIS PICTURE TAKEN



EVEN OLD JUMBO FEELS DEJECTED IN THESE DRY TIMES

## Experiments on Electric Fish

CERTAIN fishes exhibit peculiar electrical phenomena or muscular phenomena, while the other presents more of the characters of the structure of the electric organ of the thunderer fish. Both types are built upon a vast number of microscopical elements, each of which is supplied with a nerve fiber. These nerve fibers come from large nerves that originate in the nerve centers, brain or spinal cord, and in these centers are found special large nerve cells, with which the nerve fibers of the electric organs are connected and from which they spring. Yet the electricity is not generated in the electric centers and conveyed by the electric nerves to the electric organ itself. It is only produced, however, so as to give a shock when set in action by nervous impulses transmitted to it from the electric centers by the electric nerves.

There are few departments of physiological science in which can be found a more striking example of organic adaptiveness than in the construction of the electric fishes. In these animals there are specialized organs for the production of electricity on an economical basis far surpassing anything yet contrived by man. The organs are either modified muscles or modified glands, structures which in all animals manifest electrical properties.

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## Toyland Is Joyland

DO you remember why it was you girl remember two things. First, that you wanted this or that for Christmas? Do you remember why you had a special mad passion for a certain thing? If you do remember, caintiness, but they don't appreciate fortune, then, is the child to whom you give toys. Of course, what may appeal to one child may not appeal to another. For the very young boy or

er ship. It is a kiddish trick, indeed; to think that your possession is better than your neighbor's.

That "I-don't-care" ring. "I have something nicer than you have at home," is well known.

Therefore, O ye grownups, give the child a toy—no matter how small—

that he or she can enjoy, be proud of and get some real good out of.

With toyshops full of overflowing with the most delightful gifts, the Christmas selection should be of the best.

Elephants, parrots, doggies, camels, pussies—all these animals appeal to little tots, even more than dolls in some cases, for the simple reason that most of the pictures shown to very young children are of animals, hence they are familiar with them to a certain degree, not that the animals are not attractive on their own merits; indeed, they are.

### In Dollville.

For the girls there are the loveliest of dolls. Really the faces are much prettier and sweeter than ever. For instance, there are duckiest, floppiest baby ones; the smartest and nattiest of French dolls. In fact, it seems a sure fact that each little girl this Christmas will get a doll that is just the one she has been writing to Santa Claus for. Big or little doll, you are sure to find it.

Then there's doll furniture—also big and small. And everything else that the small daughter with motherly or house-keeping instincts could want.

### The Boy's Share.

As for the boys, they seem to be coming in for an unusual number of good things this year. Time was when it was a matter of deep thought to give the growing boys an interesting present. But now, if he is mechanically inclined, there are many suitable toys. Can one rightly call these mechanical ingenities toys? There is something more lasting there than the word for connotates, Webster gives among other meanings this: "A thing for amusement, but of no real value." The mechanical games of today hardly fall under that category.

All of them are good. They train clumsy fingers to be deft and delicate; they teach perseverance; they demand a certain amount of ingenuity; they call for close attention to detail. To be sure, when the boy is constructing this bridge or that train track, it hardly seems like play. It illustrates, however, one of the great discoveries made by latter-day educators: that all

study and work needn't be drudgery and that all play needn't be absolutely wasted hours.

For instance, there's an automobile that's already—not for the boy to make it go—but for him to put it together so that it will go. Then the chemistry set, too. Just as little girls like to bake miniature cakes and pies of the same stuff, the big ones are made of, so the growing boy likes to experiment with this and that mysterious combination.

### Enter a Factor.

Here's a big point: It has to do with family life. It's pretty much a rule that the mother always helps her daughter with dolly's dressies, dolly's laundry, dolly's sewing. And Dad, he likes to help the boy with his train, or his woodwork or whatever it is the fad at the moment. It brings them closer together; it makes the man and the boy comrades. Undoubtedly, most fathers view with pride the handiwork of their offspring.

It's a great comfort to those who are concerned with the welfare of the nation to know that there are enterprising manufacturers who are doing their best to give to the boys and the girls also of America today employment for

idle hands which keep them out of mischief for the time being and also teach them a lesson.



MAKING THE DOLLS BEAUTIFUL IS AN OPERATION CALLING FOR SKILL.



NO, THEY ARE NOT MINCE PIES, BUT DOLLS IN THE MAKING.



## TWENTY-SIX MEN ENLIST IN ARMY AT STATION HERE

Men Assigned to Regiments and Schools to Receive Technical and Practical Education

The La Crosse county school of agriculture, Jippa Weiling, Otto Wolf and Ed Peters were La Crosse county winners at the international county fair, at the Chicago last week. John Bendell, Jr., of Stoddard, was also a winner.

Winning one-fourth of all the premium money, Wisconsin farmers made a great showing at the international fair and Hay Show last week. Cash prizes amounting to \$10,000 were offered. Wisconsin claimed \$10,000, when the judging closed. Two hundred and sixty-five Wisconsin entries took \$1 premiums in comparison with 2,100 entries. Last year Wisconsin won \$800 in prize money.

The winners, according to E. L. Holden of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture who was in charge of the Wisconsin displays include:

**Single Entries**—H. C. Brueckner, Jefferson; Edward Slickers, Jefferson; H. C. Brueckner, Jefferson; Walter J. Stein, Jefferson; Leo Brueckner, Jefferson; A. C. Brueckner, Arlington; J. A. Kelley, Mineral Point; J. A. Kelley, Mineral Point; Chas. Hewitt, Brainerd; and Frank Lindley, Fox Lake.

**Corn—Ten Ears Yellow Dent**—Leo Brueckner, Jefferson; Jos. A. Brueckner, Brainerd; Jippa Weiling, Brainerd; H. T. Deubheim, Gorham; H. H. Biddle, Livingston; H. C. Brueckner, Jefferson; Noyes Rosellier, Edin; and J. E. Brueckner, Blue Mounds.

**Corn—Ten Ears White Dent**—J. H. Thorpe, Edin; (First); J. E. Brueckner, Blue Mounds; Theron Thorpe, Edin; Otto Wolf, La Crosse; C. Laub, Brainerd; Ubbie Anderson, North Bend; W. E. Colladay, McFarland; John Bendell, Jr., Stoddard; and Albert Kuestner, Glen Haven.

**PLANT CORN**—H. T. Deubheim, Gorham; J. W. Jung, Randolph; and Chas. F. Weidlich, Brooklyn.

**WHEAT—Hard Red Winter**—Wm. H. Basse, Milwaukee; and H. E. Rose, Wisconsin.

**WHEAT—Durum**—H. P. West, Ripon; E. G. Fay, Port Wing.

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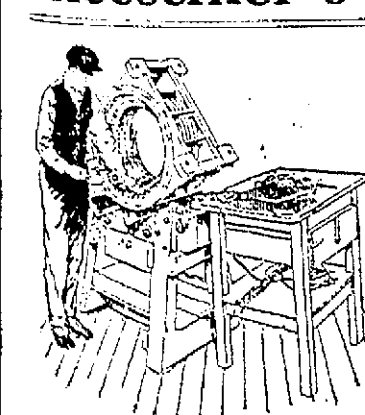
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## Normal Notes

The "L" Club held a meeting Tuesday afternoon to discuss plans for a dance which is to be given soon after the Christmas recess.

The Student Directory published by members of the men's Y. M. C. A. has been placed on sale.

Due to the Thanksgiving vacation, no Racquet was published last week, but the paper will make its appearance this week as usual.

The Racqueteers, an organization of the members of the Racquet Staff plan to hold a dinner party in the Domestic rooms Saturday night.

An old-fashioned "feed" and smoker will be given under the auspices of the Men's League tonight at the Normal School.

Miss Lyga, noted elocutionist, addressed the members of the Women's League Tuesday morning at Assembly.

A meeting of all those interested in the subject of class basketball was held Monday evening. It was decided to have two leagues as before, and to play all the games on Friday afternoons.

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# BABY ABANDONED ON DOORSTEP IN SPARTA; SUSPECT IS ARRESTED

Monroe and Vernon County Tobacco Concerns Postpone Sorting Season till After Holidays

LAMAIL, Wis. — Funeral services were held in St. Mary's Catholic church Nov. 29th at Tomah for Miss Katherine Ragan daughter of Mrs. D. O. Ragan of Tunnel City. She was 21 years old and a graduate of Tomah high class of '18. She was taken seriously ill while on a visit to relatives at Galea III, and died at Dubuque, Iowa, in a city hospital.

James Keller, 56 years, died at his home in this city on Nov. 27 and was buried two days later in Oak Grove cemetery. Mr. Keller spent his entire life in this locality. He is survived by his widow and one son.

On Friday evening Mrs. H. A. Oakley of Sparta when looking up her home for the night, noticed a package on her doorstep. On examination the bundle was found to contain a fifteen days' old baby boy. Shortly after the discovery of the baby, a young woman from the Wis. at Portage, who may have been the baby's mother.

A. K. Fredrick, state humane officer, in response to a complaint against the Northwestern railroad, visited their stockyards located at Norwalk and ordered the yards closed because of their unhygienic and filthy condition during their unfit for use.

John, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Feiber of Summit Monroe county met with a serious accident on Sunday which resulted in the loss of a little finger. The child caught the finger in a closing door.

On the heels of what is probably the best collection of "case periods" this section of Wisconsin has ever experienced, tobacco warehouses are discussing the chances of an early opening for the season. Nearly all Monroe and Vernon county concerns have decided to postpone the beginning of the sorting season until after the first of next year. During the past month of damp or "cuse" weather practically all tobacco was taken down from the poles, and has been purchased at top prices by buyers.

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## THIRD STREET



## BADGER FOOTBALL IS GREAT SUCCESS IN FINANCIAL END

Wisconsin University Gets \$84,500 as Share in Five Conference Contests

MADISON, Wis.—Financial success attended the University of Wisconsin in her football season this year, according to figures made public recently. A total of \$84,500 was the Badger share of gate receipts paid in by 103,500 spectators who saw the team in action at five conference games, the figures show. More than \$50,000 of this amount is clear gain, the athletic department announces.

The Chicago game alone brought in \$24,000 from an attendance of 30,000 persons, while the Minnesota game played at Minneapolis, is said to have resulted in a return of \$15,000 from 20,000 spectators, it was said, and the Illinois game here ran a close third with \$14,000 from an attendance of 22,000 persons. Ohio State at Columbus came fourth with \$12,500 from a 20,000 crowd, and Northwestern, it is stated, was last with \$9,000 from an attendance of 11,500 persons.

When Coach John R. Richards closed a deal with Coach Slugg of Chicago last year for a five game series to be played at Chicago, he is said to have made a step that has already produced financial results for Wisconsin. Richards from the first of these annual contests has brought nearly \$10,000 more than any other of the games, it is stated.

Camp Randall, the Badger athletic field, will profit by the increased finances it is said, in a proposed development estimated to cost \$30,000. Baseball and track, which it is stated have not been in the past overly successful financially, will also profit by larger resources from which to draw for trips and equipment, it is announced.

## MAY FROM NATIONAL ASSOCIATION HAVING CONTROL OF BOXING

NEW YORK.—Formation of a national association to have control of boxing will be considered at a meeting in New York late this month.

The proposal is sponsored by the army navy and civilian board of boxing control. The idea is said to be "heartily endorsed" by governors of many states.

Favorable replies have been received, it was said, from the governors of Massachusetts, New Jersey, Colorado, Florida, Illinois, Maryland and Wisconsin.

**HE'S AFTER BUD**  
SAN FRANCISCO.—Fred Winsor, ex-manager of Bud Hildy, is out to develop another boxer who can bear his former protégé. Winsor is now managing Dick Griffin, Texas bantam.

**RUTH'S CONTRACT**  
NEW YORK.—Babe Ruth's contract is the only hold-over one on the Yankee club. Bambino's has another year to go. Bills of lading for the other Yanks are single termers.

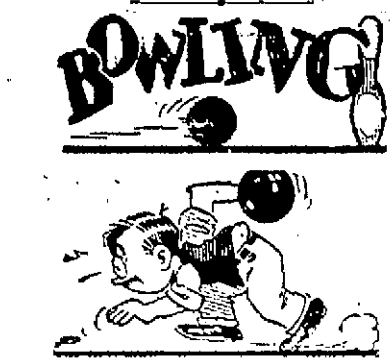
**WANT MORE OF IT**  
TOLEDO.—While the Dempsey-Carpenter match is traveling back and forth between New York, Cuba, London and Paris, the fans at Toledo are waiting for a last minute chance to snap it up.

**PERFECT CADDY**  
DETROIT.—At last a perfect caddy has been found. He is Emmett Sullivan, aged 13. He was graded as perfect by the Detroit Golf Club officials where he served last summer along with 799 other caddies.

**RING GALLERY**  
ALBANY.—The New York boxing commission requires all boxers who expect to box in the state to send photographs of themselves. This will prevent fakers from posing under many names.

**PICK ATLANTA**  
Atlanta.—The Toledo Mad Hens have picked Atlanta for their spring training camp. Duke Drenthman has decided that Paducah and Dawson Springs are too far north for March baseball weather.

**LOOKING AHEAD**  
ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Michigan students are getting ambitious. They want Coach Yost to include Yale on the 1921 football schedule. Yost does not favor the idea.



The Longley Hays took three straight from the La Crosse club 60's at the Lotus alleys. The games were marked by uniformly good scores, the honors of high score for the Hays resting with Fuchs, who rolled 353. Walls fell one pin short of this total.

**LA CROSSE CLUB GAMES**

Hunt	180	120
Burns	151	174
Miller	144	210
Out	222	223
Low score	148	150
Handicap	58	72
Totals	875	948

**LONGLEY HAYS**

Wais	157	219
Frish	149	158
Kluender	181	191
Larson	198	200
Handicap	28	14
Totals	926	953

A Korean marriage certificate is divided in two and the husband and wife each take half.

## BILL HOPPE WINS FIRST CUE CONTEST IN DEFENSE OF TITLE FROM COCHRAN

NEW YORK.—In a long drawn out and hard fought battle Champion Willie Hoppe last night defeated Walter Cochran in their first game for the 15-2 bulk line championship by a score of 400 to 370. Hoppe ran out in the twenty-second inning with an unfinished run of 34. He was trailing Cochran when he took his last turn at the table. Hoppe made a high run of 101 and Cochran's best effort netted 92. Hoppe averaged 18 2-11 against 15 0-11 for Cochran.

Cochran won the bank, but missed the opening shot. Hoppe ran 19 before he stubbed his toe and had to sit down. Cochran managed to get 3 and then Hoppe showed the first real billiards of the match. He ran 101 before he missed on a masse shot. The 101 points were not made as Hoppe usually makes them. There was not so much of the short draw and the line nurse, but more of all around billiards—one, two, and three cushions, force follows, masses, spread draws and the like. It was the kind of billiards that causes a gallery to break in spontaneous and prolonged applause.

To those familiar with Hoppe's style it was apparent he was not himself; that he lacked his usual confidence. He was not at all sure of himself. After his run of 101 until he made his run in the seventeenth canto.

## CHAMPION BRITTON'S CLEVER MITTS EARN VERDICT OVER PINKIE

Although Devoid of Thrills Brought Satisfied Crowds that Filled the Auditorium

Early reports of the fight came out with the statement that the match went ten rounds to a draw.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Jack Britton, world's welterweight champion, worked the "master mind" business last night and, boxing smartly for ten rounds, earned the verdict over Pinkie Mitchell of Milwaukee. It was a bout devoid of thrills. Both were going strong at the final bell.

There were rumors in the latter rounds when it looked as if Mitchell, who popped out of his class for this bout, and was outwitted four and one-half rounds, might score an even break with the champion.

Crowd Appreciates Cleverness  
But Britton, who most of the way seemed content to travel along easily, opened up when necessary and, aided by his famed defense, stopped the progress of Pinkie, who deserved a lot of credit for his offensive efforts. It was a clever boxing match and the crowd, which filled the auditorium, seemed satisfied.

There were few hard punches landed, both a couple of times slipping over right hands to the jaw. But the wallows served only to speed up the work.

Britton depended on left hooking to garner points, while Pinkie jabbed with the left and crossed with his right to the body. Mitchell earned at least two of the rounds, the sixth and seventh; four were even; the other four to Britton.

## ELKS' BOWLING LEAGUE

The Bootleggers won two out of three games from the Moonshiners at the Lotus alleys Tuesday night, the latter winning the third game via the handicap by a single pin. Hurl rolled high total for the Bootleggers, 479. The Badgers won three by forfeit from the B Z Marks.

The Bed Makers took the first and third from the Crowns, dropping the second game. The feature of these contests was the ability of Shervin, member of the Crown team, to pick off spuds when they seemed impossible to get. Hurl rolled high total for the Bed Makers, making 508, while Shervin topped the Crowns with 512.

The Sharks won three from the Home Brews by forfeit.

**MOONSHINERS**

S. J. Thompson	147	133	108
Low score	131	107	105
McDonald	147	107	156
Hurl	126	167	176
Fries	116	204	126
Handicap	114	85	94
Totals	733	793	763

**MOONSHINERS**

Gantert	163	134	203
Loeffler	142	161	147
Tiedale	121	90	104
Kleber	82	187	76
Peak	144	129	154
Handicap	101	90	80
Totals	723	769	763

**BADGERS**

Thompson	121	102	126
Marlin	120	146	111
Talley	120	121	120
Neil	120	121	120
Law	120	121	120
Langenbach	120	121	120
Handicap	90	80	80
Totals	751	753	790

**B Z MARKS**

Hutigan	151	147	124
Hart	151	147	124
Berling	151	147	124
Burgess	151	147	124
Morley	151	147	124
Handicap	85	71	87
Totals	810	836	862

**CROWNS**

Ditweller	123	143	120
Dittman	123	143	120
Vau Auker	123	143	120
Morgan	123	143	120
Shervin	123	143	120
Handicap	77	39	114
Totals	527	559	774

**SHARKS**

Donadur	191	183	180
Boerner	120	157	173
Meyer	143	135	132
Marshall	137	156	144
Handicap	24	34	45
Totals	515	673	674

Forfeit: HOME BREWS

## PIONEERS AND DOKS WIN PRIZES GIVEN BY CIGAR COMPANY

Have High Total in First Round of Bowling and Get Box of La Fortunas

The Pioneers, of the White League and the Doks, of the Purple League, two Elks bowling teams were the winners of the first round of the contests in the Elks' bowling leagues and received the prize, a box of La Fortuna cigars, given by the Chick Cigar company.

The prize was awarded to the team in each league rolling the highest total during the first round of the tournament. On November 18, the pioneers knocked the plus for a total of 2553, while on November 7, the Doks topped the teams in the Purple league with a total of 2497.

According to announcement from officials of the organization, the same prizes will be awarded the high total team at the end of the second round which started November 23, and ends January 20.



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## FOUR CLASS BASKET BALL GAMES PLAYED AT HIGH SCHOOL

Senior Quintet Appears to Have Edge on Other Teams for the Championship

Class basketball, which began Monday night at the La Crosse High school, is being carried out with enthusiasm and pep, and the games thus far played have shown up a good array of material for the first squad.

Attendance of the games by the students, however, is rather lax, and the spirited class yells, which have been the features of the tournaments of past years, were conspicuous by their absence. At this stage of the game it is impossible to pick the winner, but the senior team appears to possess the strongest quintet on the floor, having decisively defeated the advanced seniors by a large score. Zoerb and Vondraschek are about on a par in sharing the honors and the former, who is captain of the first team, is proving himself capable of filling the shoes of "Bobby" Fitzke who starred in last season's tournament. The soph also have a healthy bunch, and the advanced freshmen showed the freshmen under by a huge score. The first two games were played Monday night and the other two on Tuesday. The interscholastic basketball schedule will not get under way until after the holidays, according to Faculty Manager Mack. Games will only be scheduled with nearby towns and it is expected that some good matches will be staged during the season. The tournament will probably be held in La Crosse again this year and the fans will thus get an opportunity to see the other strong teams in the state in action.

First game—Freshies vs. Advanced Freshies:  
Freshies—Schull, center; Capt. MacLoney and C. Zoerb, guards; Clark and McDonough, forwards.  
Advanced Freshies—Sorenson, center; Capt. McDonald and Fritz, guards; Briske and Skaff, forwards.  
Score 32 to 9 in favor of Advanced Freshies.

Second game—Sophomores vs. Advanced Sophomores:  
Sophomores—Capt. Harget, center; Affeldt and Mallon, guards; Gertlin and Newberg, forwards.  
Advanced Sophomores—Hinds, center; Schultz and Sieton, guards; Capt. Abraham and Wheaton, forwards.  
Score 15 to 2 in favor of Sophomores.

Third game—Seniors vs. Advanced Seniors:  
Seniors—C. Stokke, center; Schnoll and Englek, guards; Zoerb and Vondraschek, forwards.  
Advanced Seniors—E. Stokke, center; Sullivan and Turk, guards; Simpkins and Collins, forwards.  
Score 14 to 4 in favor of Seniors.

Fourth game—Juniors vs. Advanced Juniors:  
Juniors—Kilian, center; Tobias and Peck, guards; McKay and Capt. Holley, forwards.  
Advanced Juniors—Lyons, center; Gordon and Plaster, guards; Kaepler and Capt. Niehuhr, forwards.  
Score 12 to 8 in favor of Juniors.

## FITZGERALD AGAIN TO HEAD WESTERN SKATING CLUB

CHICAGO, Ill.—Julian T. Fitzgerald again will head the Western Skating association. It was announced here Wednesday. This is the ninth time this honor has been bestowed upon Fitzgerald.

A committee to revise by-laws, which have stood unchanged for years, was appointed. It was voted to give each club two representatives on the board of control, but whether or not they should cast two votes was referred to the committee to revise the by-laws.

Henry A. Olsen was elected secretary, James P. McWhirter, was elected second vice president; Clayton Everett, second vice president and James Galligan, Paul Staff, Henry Erland, Edward A. Mable and Dr. H. H. Hayes, members of the board of control.

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**BROTHERS TO MEET**  
LOS ANGELES.—Coach Henderson of the University of Southern California is a brother of Harkback Henderson of the Ohio State eleven. The U. of S. C. mentor may root for the Ohioans on New Year's Day.

**LIKE BUCKEYES**  
LOS ANGELES.—Many coast football enthusiasts say they prefer looking over the eleven from the state presidents than the Princeton Tigers. The Ohio Staters will be warmly welcomed at Pasadena.

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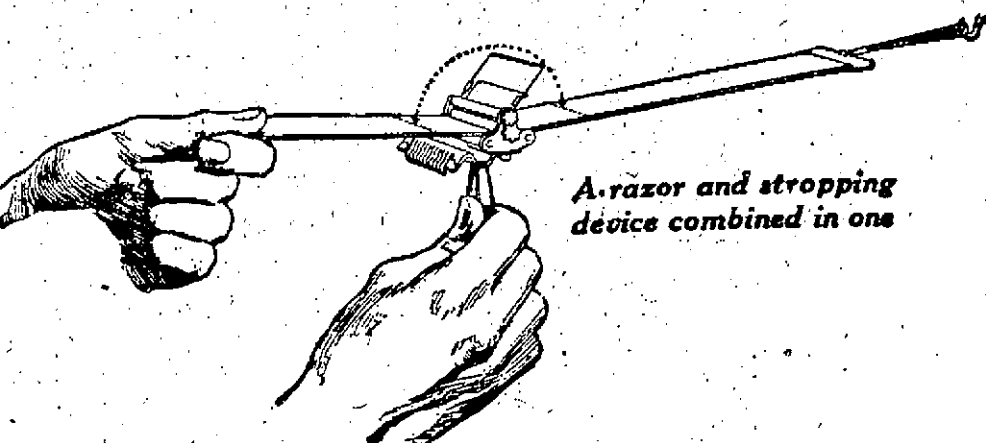
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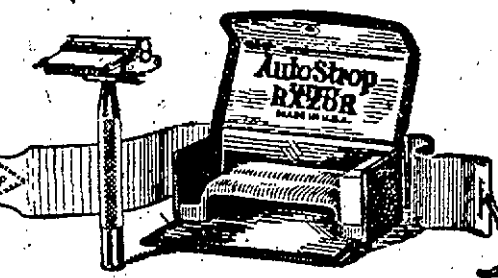
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# MONDAY CONCERT RARE TREAT FOR LOVERS OF MUSIC

Trio Aeolienne One of Best Numbers in History of Normal Courses

The Normal Lecture Course brings to the city on Monday next, Dec. 13, one of the best musical numbers of its history, a combination of three master musicians.

The increasing demand for an ensemble of the highest artistic standard, to meet the requirements of music clubs, colleges and managers of artist courses, led to the formation of the Trio Aeolienne, the personnel of which includes three artists of the highest rank and reputation. Its members are Richard Czerwony, the eminent violinist, Bruno Steindel, the master cellist, and M. Boguslawski, the Russian pianist.

Mr. Czerwony has appeared with great success as soloist from coast to coast as leader of the famous Czerwony Quartet in Boston some years ago, won the highest praise of Eastern critics. He is recognized as one of the foremost violinists of the country. Bruno Steindel needs no introduction to the American public—his name is a household word and he is recognized as one of the greatest of living cellists. M. Boguslawski, the Russian pianist, who won the critics of the East last season, as he had previously won the credit of those of the West, has a reputation unsurpassed as an ensemble pianist. The general opinion of all those who have heard the Trio Aeolienne is that the ensemble of that organization is unrivaled.

## CLOSE TO MILLION VOTES PULLED BY DEBS IN ELECTION

NEW YORK.—By The Associated Press.—Eugene V. Debs, socialist candidate for president in the last election received nearly 950,000 votes—the greatest number ever polled by a socialist presidential nominee, and about twice the socialist vote in 1916. Available official and unofficial returns from all but seven states show that Debs polled 900,363 which, added to the seven states' socialist vote four years ago—48,366—would give him a total of 948,729.

Debs polled up 204,120 votes in New York state alone.

Other states which gave Debs a sizeable vote this year include: Wisconsin, 80,635; Illinois, 74,747; Minnesota, 56,106; Michigan, 28,947; and Iowa, 16,981.

## MORE THAN TWELVE HUNDRED MILLIONS PAID IN PENSIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Pension disbursements for 1937 aggregated \$218,295,814, according to the annual report of commissioner Saltzgeber of the pension bureau, made public Tuesday. The figures showed a decrease of about nine million dollars from 1936 totals. During the year 27,871 Civil war pensioners died, leaving 248,520 soldiers of that war on the pension role in addition to 200,100 Civil widows.

While no survivors of the war of 1812 were shown, 71 widows of soldiers in that war are receiving government pensions. Only 138 Mexican war survivors were reported and 2,422 Mexican war widows.

**NORMAL GIRLS SUSPENDED**  
BATTLE CREEK, Mich.—Twenty-five girl students at the Normal School of Physical Education have been suspended, it was learned Tuesday, following investigation of charges that the students had plundered a cottage they occupied at Gull Lake during an outing. The chargees were censured and dismissed. The owner of the cottage had filed suit for damages, but withdrew it after a settlement out of court.

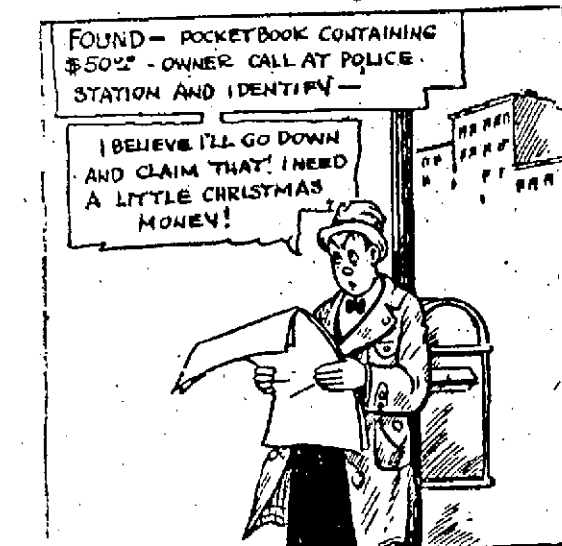
Milwaukee women use approximately 400 barrels of talcum powder each week.

**BESTOR'S**  
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THESE CASES MAKE ME FEEL TWENTY YEARS YOUNGER  
WHY DO FOLKS PRAISE OUR EYE SERVICE?

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## WILBUR IS FULL OF IDEAS



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## EFFECTIVE WORK DON IN CURING TUBERCULAR ONES

During the past year the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association, operating with local health boards and committees, has been searching out the hidden cases of tuberculosis and getting them under the best chance of cure. This has been accomplished by chest clinics, giving to persons fearing tuberculosis, free chest examinations. During this year, 105 of these chest clinics were held in 55 Wisconsin towns when 5,755 persons were examined by expert lung specialists. Nine hundred fifty, being 16 per cent, were consumptive and given the best medical advice how to effect a cure and how to avoid giving the disease to others. In September a chest clinic was held in La Crosse, financed by the local Red Cross; 389 free examinations were given and 17 per cent were found tubercular in such a degree that they required medical or nursing service. The death rate from tuberculosis has steadily decreased in Wisconsin since an organized fight to exterminate the disease began twelve years ago. In 1908 the death rate per one hundred thousand was 107; in 1910 it was down to 82 per one hundred thousand, due to county sanatoria, public health nursing and the educational program of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association spreading health literature in schools, homes and factories. Since this organized work began, hundreds of factories in this state have employed visiting nurses as an economic measure toward efficiency of employees. What has been accomplished in schools alone is worth to future generations all the labor, sacrifice and money expended. Boys and girls are learning the value of personal cleanliness, fresh air, proper breathing, best foods, etc., in warding off disease. This glorious work for the prevention and cure of consumption in our state has been made possible by the annual sale of Red Cross Christmas seals, when men, women and children at the rate of give their mite to this worthy cause.

## Lame People Attention!

All persons interested are invited to consult  
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